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From Hon. W. H. Jones, of West Dover, Vermont.

"I have been troubled from my boyhood with chronic or hereditary lung complaint. Some years since, early in the winter, I took cold, which as usual settled into a severe cough, which continued to increase as the season advanced, although I made use of all the cough remedies I had knowledge of. My family physician also prescribed for me, but I felt no relief. During all this time I was gradually running down, losing flesh and strength, until my friends as well as myself, became very much alarmed, thinking I should waste away in consumption. While in Boston, during the spring following, I was induced to try WISTAR'S BALSAM OF WILD CHERRY. After one day's trial I was sensible that it was relieving me; in ten days time my cough had entirely ceased, and I was soon restored to my health and strength. I have ever since kept the BALSAM in my house, and whenever any member of my family has a cough or cold, it is immediately resorted to. No family should be without it." Sold by all druggists.

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In our style of climate, with its sudden changes of temperature—rain, wind and sunshine, often intermingled in a single day—it is no wonder that our children, friends and relatives are so frequently taken from us by neglected colds, half the deaths resulting directly from this cause. A bottle of Boschnee's German Syrup kept about your home for immediate use will prevent serious sickness, a large doctor's bill and, perhaps, death, by the use of three or four doses. For curing Consumption, Hemorrhages, Pneumonia, Severe Coughs, Croup, or any disease of the Throat or Lungs, its success is simply wonderful, as your druggist will tell you. German Syrup is now sold in every town and village on this continent. Sample bottles for trial 10 cents; regular size, 75 cents. *

Coming to Oregon.

The afflicted will be glad to learn that a corps of Surgeons from the National Surgical Institute, fitted out with a complete assortment of apparatus for the treatment of every human deformity, will again visit Portland, Oregon, at the St. Charles Hotel from June 25th to July 1st, inclusive, 1878. This Institution, originally founded at Indianapolis, Indiana, has extended its business throughout the United States and has attained a reputation for the successful treatment of Spinal Curvature, Hip and Knee Joint Diseases, Club Feet, Paralysis, Piles and Fistula, heretofore unknown to the profession. References of the highest order can be given. *

The Machine was Worn Out.

Why? Not because it was not well built, but it was wrongly run. Thousands of men who have run down long before their three-score and ten years are accomplished, might have been renewed into sprightliness and vim if they had tried the well-known PERUVIAN SYRUP, which contains among its compounds the Protoxide of Iron, so combined that it assimilates with the blood and invigorates the whole system. This syrup has proved efficacious in thousands of cases, and will do everybody good who uses it. All druggists keep it. *

DENTISTRY.—Dr. Cool calls attention to the beautiful alluminium-lined vulcanite plates for upper and lower sets. The advantage of this work is that it is very thin, much stronger and lighter than the common plate usually worn; also, being a better conductor of heat and cold, it does not produce the iritation, sometimes caused by rubber or non-conducting substances. I make these sets for $35, something never before done, and guarantee my patrons that after once wearing one of them they will wear no other. The treatment of diseased teeth and fine operating I make a specialty. Teeth built up with pure gold to their natural contour; artificial crowns adjusted to roots in the best manner. Work of every description done anywhere I engage to do at the most reasonable prices. *

JUST RECEIVED.—Pim's Irish Poplins, Black and Colored Grosgrain Silks, Brabant Lace, Maltese Lace, Collarettes, and sets in Honiton and Maltese, Embroidered and Lace Bordered Handkerchiefs, Dent's Kid Gloves in all the new Tints, Belgian, Danish, French and Undressed Kid Gloves, Black Silk Mitts, Lace Scarves and Fichus, Zephyr Sqrs., Cash's Frillings, and a variety of Crochet, Embroidery, Madeira and Swiss Edgings and Insertions, Infants' Embd. Muslin Frocks, Embd. Piqué Tunics and Pelisses, Tuckd. and Embd. White Skirts and Skirtings, and a full supply of Staple Goods.
* THOS. WILSON & Co.

JUST RECEIVED per mail a fine lot of trout flies tied expressly for the Cowichan and Comox Rivers and the Province in general. Price, 75 and 50 cents per dozen. To be had at HENRY SHORT'S, Gunmaker, Fort Street. dw*

THE LATEST.—The undersigned received by City of Panama, a choice lot of Ladies' Costumes, Children's Dresses, Summer Dress Goods, Trimmings, Lace Handkerchiefs, Ties, Sets, etc., etc.—SHEARS & PARTRIDGE, London House. *

IF heretofore you have been unable to wear a set of artificial teeth call on Dr. Cool. He will guarantee all his work *

NOTICES.

TAYLOR BROTHERS' MARAVILLA COCOA.—Taylor Brothers, London, having the exclusive supply of this unrivalled Cocoa, invite comparison with any other Cocoa for Purity—fine Aroma—Sanative Nutritive and Sustaining Power. One trial will establish it as a favorite Beverage for breakfast, luncheon, and a Soothing Refreshment after a late evening. For favorable opinions *vide* Standord, Morning Post, British Medical Journal, &c., &c.

TAYLOR BROTHERS' HOMŒOPATHIC COCOA.—This original preparation, which has attained such a world-wide reputation is manufactured by Taylor Brothers, under the ablest homœopathic advice, aided by the skill and experience of the inventors, and will be found to combine in an eminent degree, the purity, fine aroma, and nutritous properties of the fresh nut.

TAYLOR BROTHERS' SOLUBLE CHOCOLATE, and **COCOA** and **MILK** are made in one minute without boiling.

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"Berkeley, Sept. 1869.—Gentlemen: I feel it a duty I owe to you to express my gratitude for the great benefit I have derived by taking Norton's Camomile Pills. I applied to your agent, Mr. Bell, Berkeley, for the above named pills, for wind in the stomach, from which I suffered excruciating pain for a length of time, having tried nearly every remedy prescribed, but without deriving any benefit at all. After taking two bottles of your valuable pills I was quite restored to my usual state of health. Please give this publicity for the benefit of those who may thus be afflicted.—I am, Sir, your truly, HENRY ALLPASS.
—To the Proprietors of NORTON'S CAMOMILE PILLS.

NOTICE.

In the matter of the Estate and Effects of George Cumberland Young, late of Yates street, Victoria, deceased, Intestate.

ALL PERSONS WHO ARE INDEBTED TO THE above Estate are requested to pay the amounts due forthwith; and all persons who have any claims against the above Estate are requested to send in their accounts on or before the 3d day of September, 1878, to
J. B MAYERAU, Administrator.
Or to E. Harrison, Jr., Barrister-at-Law, Victoria.

REWARD.

A REWARD OF TEN DOLLARS ($10) WILL BE paid, on conviction, to any person or persons giving information of certain parties killing game out of season, viz:—Deer, Grouse, Ducks, etc. The above is considered necessary, as a well known POT HUNTER is running Deer continually in defiance of the law.
SPORTSMAN.
N. B.—The above reward will be paid at this office.
jy9

CASSIAR EXPRESS

WILL LEAVE FOR THE VARIOUS CREEKS in Cassiar by every Steamer for Fort Wrangel. First trip by the steamer California, Friday, April 5th, 1878.
Packages and Letters left with Wells, Fargo & Co. will be forwarded.
Treasure shipped to Victoria and San Francisco.
ap5 J. JOHNSTON

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED AT MY OFFICE up to noon of the 22nd inst. for the erection and completion of a wooden building on Langley street. Lowest or any Tender not necessarily accepted
JNO. TEAGUE, Architect,
jy13 Government Street.

IN THE ESTATE OF W. C. WEBSTER, DECEASED.

ALL DEBTS DUE TO THIS ESTATE NOT PAID before the 20th July will be given to a solicitor for recovery. je28

$40 REWARD $40

STOLEN FROM THE H. B. CO.'S BARQUE PRINcess Royal a Clincher-Built BOAT, about 18 feet long, painted white with bright sheer strake and yellow moulding; ship's name in black letters painted on the stern. Whoever will deliver the same will receive the above reward.
JAMES ANDERSON, Master.
Esquimalt, V.I., 15th July, 1878. jy16

COMOX DISTRICT.

SEALED TENDERS FOR THE CASH PURCHASE of the preemption claim of 100 acres, late the property of Calvin Farr, deceased, will be received up to four o'clock p.m. on Wednesday, 3d July next, by the undersigned, from whom further particulars may be obtained. CHAS. E. POOLEY,
Official Administrator.
Victoria, 3d June, 1878. je4dw

COWICHAN DISTRICT.

PUBLIC HIGHWAY.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT THE FOLlowing highway, forty (40) feet in width, is hereby established in Somenos District, viz:
Commencing at the North-East corner of Section two (2), Range three (3); thence running due East along the Section line between Sections two (2) and three (3), Range (4), to the trunk road, and including twenty (20) feet on each side thereof.
F. GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.
Lands and Works Dept.,
Victoria, June 22nd, 1877. je23dw

NOTICE.

In the matter of the Estate and Effects of John Dunstan, late of Esquimalt, deceased, intestate.

ALL PERSONS WHO ARE INDEBTED TO THE above Estate are required to pay the amounts due forthwith; and all persons who have any claims against the above Estate are required to send in their accounts on or before the 31st day of August, A. D. 1878, to CHAS. E. POOLEY,
Official Administrator.
Dated Victoria, 31st May, 1878. je1 3mdw

NOTICE.

In the Goods of Calvin Farr, late of Comox District, Deceased, Intestate.

DEBTORS TO THE ESTATE ARE REQUIRED to pay the amounts due by them forthwith to the undersigned; and creditors of the Estate are requested to send in their claims within one month.
CHAS. E. POOLEY,
Official Administrator.
Victoria, 3d June, 1878. je4dw

ROYAL CARIBOO HOSPITAL.

THE BOARD OF MANAGEMENT OF THE Royal Cariboo Hospital will receive applications for the position of Medical Officer to the Hospital up till 1st September next.

The party appointed will require to commence his duties on 1st October.

For further particulars apply to Messrs. Langley & Co., Victoria; the Government Agent at New Westminster; or to the undersigned, to whom applications should be addressed.
ANDREW B. RITCHIE,
Secretary.
Barkerville, 2nd July, 1878. jy14dw

A CHALLENGE.

THE CREW OF H.M.S. OPAL WHO ROWED IN the whaleboat race on the 24th of May, are prepared to pull against one or more boat's crews from any or all of Her Majesty's Ships, for money or pleasure. Communications may be ent to the Clubroom, Esquimalt. jy12tf

TO BUILDERS AND CABINET MAKERS.

THE CARGO OF THE "WESTERN HOME" AN assorted invoice of surfaced
REDWOOD,
Is now landed and for sale by
je15 DEWIEDERHOLD & CO.

C. MORTON,
REAL ESTATE AND HOUSE AGENT,
LANGLEY STREET, OPPOSITE ANGEL HOTEL.

RENTS collected, Loans negotiated, and a General Agency Business transacted. jy10dw2p

NOTICES.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE PARTnership heretofore subsisting between us the undersigned, John Partridge Tunstall, Henry Coppinger Beeton and John Herbert Turner, lately carrying on business as Wholesale and Retail Dry Goods Merchants and General Commission Agents, at 8 Bow Church Yard, in the City of London, under the style of J. P. Tunstall & Company, and at Victoria, Vancouver Island, in the Colony of British Columbia, under the name, style or firm of Turner, Beeton & Tunstall, has been this day dissolved. The business will in future be carried on and all debts owing by or to the said copartnership firms respectively will be paid and received respectively by the said Henry Coppinger Beeton and John Herbert Turner.
Dated this 19th day of June, 1878.
(Signed) J. P. TUNSTALL,
(Signed) H. C. BEETON.
Witness to the signatures of the above named John Partridge Tunstall and Henry Coppinger Beeton—(Signed) CHAS. E. FREEMAN, 20 Gutterlane, London.
(Signed) J. H. TURNER.
Witness to the signature of the above named John Herbert Turner—(Signed) R. S. BYRN, Victoria, B. C.

REFERRING TO THE ABOVE NOTICE OF DISsolution of Partnership, we have to give notice that the business will in future be carried on at Wharf street, Victoria, under the style of Turner, Beeton & Co., and at 36 Finsbury Circus, London, under the style of H. C. Beeton & Co.
TURNER, BEETON & CO.
Wharf street.
Victoria, July 15, 1878. jy16

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

PRIVATE BILLS.

ALL APPLICATIONS FOR PRIVATE BILLS, properly the subject of legislation by the Legislative Assembly of British Columbia, within the purview of the "British North American Act, 1867," whether for the erection of a Bridge, the making of a Railroad, Turnpike Road, or Telegraph Line; the construction or improvement of a Harbour, Canal, Lock, Dam or Slide, or other like work; the granting of a right of Ferry; the incorporation of any particular trade or calling, or of any Joint Stock Company; or otherwise for granting to any individual or individuals any exclusive or peculiar rights or privileges whatever, or for doing any matter or thing which in its operation would affect the rights or property of other parties, or relate to any particular class of the community; or for making any amendment of a like nature to any former Act—shall require a Notice, clearly and distinctly specifying the nature and object of the application to be published as follows:—
A notice inserted in the BRITISH COLUMBIA GAZETTE and in one newspaper published in the District affected, or if there be no newspaper published therein, then in a newspaper in the next nearest District in which a newspaper is published.
Such notice shall be continued in each case for a period of at least six weeks, during the interval of time between the close of the next preceding Session and the consideration of the Petition.
Before any petition, praying for leave to bring in a Private Bill for the erection of a Toll Bridge is presented to the House, the person or persons intending to petition for such a Bill shall, upon giving the notice prescribed by the preceding rule, also at the same time and in the same manner, give notice of the rates which they intend to ask, the extent of the privilege, the height of the arches, the interval between the abutments or piers for the passage of rafts and vessels, and mentioning also whether they intend to erect a drawbridge or not, and the dimensions of the same.
ELI HARRISON, Jr., Law Clerk.
House of Assembly, Victoria. my31

INSOLVENT ACT OF 1875 AND AMENDING ACTS.

John Tod, Jr., Plaintiff. James Newsham Peers, Defendant.

A WRIT OF ATTACHMENT HAS ISSUED IN this cause.
C. T. DUPONT, Official Assignee.
Victoria, June 25th, 1878. je26

INSOLVENT ACT OF 1875 AND AMENDING ACTS.

In the matter of John Chenhall, of Clinton, an Insolvent.

THE INSOLVENT HAS MADE AN ASSIGNMENT of his Estate to me.
C. T. DUPONT, Official Assignee.
Victoria, June 25th, 1878. je26

NOTICE.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT I INTEND TO apply for a license to sell Wines and Spirits by retail at the premises formerly occupied as a retail liquor saloon situate at the corner of Johnson and Store streets. ANGEL KEFFEE.
July 17, 1878. jy18

NOTICE.

PURSUANT TO A DECREE OF THE SUPREME Court of British Columbia made in the cause of the Governor and Company of Adventurers of England trading into Hudson Bay against Ermenigildo Grancini, the creditors of Alfred Waddington, late of Ottawa, Civil Engineer, deceased, who died on or about the 26th day of February, 1872, are by their solicitors, on or before the 15th day of October next, to come in and prove their debts before Charles E. Pooley, Esquire, Registrar of the said Supreme Court, at his office, Supreme Court House, James Bay, Victoria, Vancouver Island, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded the benefit of the said decree.
The 22nd day of October next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, is appointed to hear and adjudicate upon the claims.
Dated 17th day of July, 1878.
DRAKE & JACKSON,
Bastion St., Victoria, Solicitors for the Plaintiff.
jy17dw3m

TO CARPENTERS.

A CHEST OF CARPENTER'S TOOLS, NEARLY new and complete, will be sold very cheap.
JOHN GERRITSEN,
jy3dw Humboldt street.

IDA MARTIN, DECEASED.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE UNdersigned for the purchase of 151 Shares (unassesable) in the Eureka Silver Mining Company.
Tenders to be in before 10th August next.
M. W. TYRWHITT DRAKE,
jy21 Administrator.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

TENDERS FOR THE ERECTION OF 2 HOUSES will be received from Saturday the 20th until the 27th instant, inclusive; one House to be erected at the corner of Cormorant and Government streets; the other on Langley street.
The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.
H. O. TIEDEMAN, Architect,
jy19 Office, Langley street.

PIGS.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAS SHUT UP SOME Pigs found trespassing on his premises.
If not claimed within TEN days will be sold to pay expenses and damages done. C. T. DUPONT.
Stadacona, July 22, 1878. jy23

FURNITURE CROCKERY
GLASSWARE,
CUTLERY, CARPETS,
AND ALL KINDS OF
HOUSE FURNISHING GOODS
—AT—
MANSELL & HOLROYD'S
CORNER OF YATES AND DOUGLAS STREETS.
my21

EX "RIVER CLYDE."
LIVERPOOL
COARSE SALT!
FOR SALE BY
FINDLAY, DURHAM & BRODIE.
WHARF STREET. jy16

DENTISTRY.

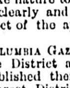
DR. J. CALDER,
Surgical and Mechanical Dentist
LATE OF SAN FRANCISCO,
— OFFICE: —
RIGHT HAND SIDE OF STAIR CASE,
SPENCER'S PHOTOGRAPHIC GALLERY.
je14dw

THOROUGHBREDS.

T. W. CARTER'S
BLACK HAWK MORGAN TROTTING STALLION
"WELLINGTON"

WILL MAKE THE SEASON OF 1878 AT HILLside Farm, Victoria, commencing May 1st and ending August 1st.
TERMS, $15 FOR THE SEASON OR $20 TO ENSURE.
Proper care will be taken to prevent accidents; but no responsibilities assumed. Will also stand at the following places:—Harry Simpson's, South Saanich, 1st May; Harry Wain's, North Saanich, 2nd May; at Henderson's, Mount Newton Hotel, 3d May; at Hillside Farm, from the 4th to the 8th May; and at each of the above places every ninth day. Will be taken to any Farm upon application. Post office box 223.
PEDIGREE.
Wellington, 1412 lbs, is 17 hands high, 6 years old. Wellington was sired by Handley's Paul Jones, he by Paul Jones by J. G. McCracken's Black Hawk, by David Hill or Vermont Black Hawk. Paul Jones' dam by Candidate, he by Old Grog, dam by Comet the Fish or Eastman Horse of California, he by David Hill of Vermont Black Hawk, &c., &c.
T. W. CARTER,
3map23dw Hilside Farm

TROTTING STALLION "Mc"
RECORD 2:39.



WILL MAKE THE SEASON OF 1878 AT HIS owner's Farm
OAK BAY,
One mile from the City Limits of Victoria,
AT $25 FOR THE SEASON.
Should the Mare not prove with Foal she will be entitled to be served again next season without charge. Mares will be cared for at $1 per week in good pasture. All accidents at owner's risk.
"Mc" was bred by the late John Duncan, of San Francisco, California, is dark bay in color, 15 1-2 hands high, weight 1,100 pounds.
PEDIGREE.
"Mc" was foaled on the 16th May, 1867, sired by Sawyer's Colt, he by Stockbridge Chief, he by Vermont Black Hawk, Stockbridge Chief's dam by Sir Charles, he by Durdock Messenger, he by Imported Messenger he by Membrino, his dam by Turf, grand dam by Regulus, he by Stirling, he by Fox. Dam of the Sawyer's Colt was San Jose, damsel by Easton's David Hill, he by Vermont Black hawk, her dam the dam of Dashaway, the celebrated two-mile horse. "Mc's" dam was by General Taylor, out of thorough mare imported to the State from Missouri by — Haskell, Esq. General Taylor by the famous Morse Horse, he by imported Norman (from France). Dam of Morse Horse by Ogden's Messenger, he by imported Messenger, his dam Katy Fisher by imported Highflier, grand dam, dam of Jersey Eclipse.—Copied from Wallace's Trotting Register. J. S. BOWKER, Oak Bay.
P. O Box 230, Victoria, B. C. mh5dw

ON HING,
DEALER IN
GROCERIES, DRY GOODS
BOOTS AND SHOES, CLOTHING, HATS AND CAPS.
HAS REMOVED
TO JOHNSON STREET, ONE DOOR EAST OF EASTMAN'S BUTCHER SHOP.
Manufactures DRAWERS, UNDERSHIRTS, OVERALLS, Etc., which he offers for sale by wholesale and retail, at low rates. de11

VICTORIA HIDE DEPOT.
HIGHEST CASH PRICE PAID FOR
HIDES, SHEEP AND DEER SKINS
OFFICE---WHARF STREET, FOOT OF YATES.
no27 H. BORNSTEIN.

REMOVAL.
MR. JOHN TEAGUE,
ARCHITECT,
HAS REMOVED HIS OFFICE TO
GOVERNMENT STREET, BELOW FORT,
Opposite the Hook and Ladder House.

SALE
RENEWED FOR 30 DAYS.
S. L. KELLY & CO.
YATES STREET.
THE ENTIRE STOCK OF
RANGES, COOKING, BOX AND HEATING STOVES,
TINWARE, ETC.
Will be offered at cost for Thirty Days from this date as the whole Stock must be disposed of within that time.
Victoria, B. C., July 5, 1878. jy7

JOSEPH KIRKMAN & SON'S
PIANOFORTES!
EX RIVER CLYDE.
A SHIPMENT OF THE ABOVE CELEBRATED Instruments now Landing.
STAHLSCHMIDT & WARD,
SOLE AGENTS FOR BRITISH COLUMBIA.
Wharf Street, 15th July, 1878. jy16

JUST RECEIVED.
A VARIED ASSORTMENT OF
NEW CUTLERY,
DIRECT FROM
RODGERS', WADE & BUTCHER'S, RENSHAW'S AN WOLSTENHOLM'S.
PEN AND POCKET KNIVES,
RAZORS AND SCISSORS,
TABLE CUTLERY, ELECTRO PLATED WARE B. M. TEA AND COFFEE POTS, ETC.
ALSO—AT COST PRICE,
Bronze Stand & other Lamps.
M. & H. A. FOX,
jy7 GOVERNMENT STREET.

MUSIC.
MRS. J. B. HENDERSON TEACHES ADVANCED pupils Piano Music, Guitar, Harp, Organ, Singing, and the art of registering the voice; together with French, Italian, Painting and Drawing. Residence, Douglas House, Gordon street. At home from 12:45 to 1:30 p.m. jy14

JAMES SYME,
ARCHITECT,
MASONIC BUILDING, GOVERNMENT ST.,
je8 VICTORIA, B. C.

POLITICAL.

MR. A. C. ELLIOTT
WILL BE A CANDIDATE TO REPRESENT VICTORIA DISTRICT IN THE DOMINION HOUSE OF COMMONS AT THE ENSUING GENERAL ELECTION. jy7tf

THE COMMONS.

A POLITICAL MEETING WILL BE HELD AT H. Simpson's Prairie Tavern, Saanich, on MONDAY EVENING, 22ND INST., AT 7 O'CLOCK.
MR. BUNSTER has been invited to attend and address the meeting.
jy16dw A. J. McLELLAN.

POLITICAL.

MR. BUNSTER WILL BE HAPPY TO MEET as many of the Electors of Vancouver District as can make it convenient to attend at the following places and times:—At Nanaimo Institute on Saturday, July 20th, at 7 p.m. At C. B. Brown's, Wellington, on Monday, July 22nd, at 7 p. m. At Beaumont's, Maple Bay, on Tuesday, July 23rd, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon. And at Askew's Landing, Chemainus, at 3 p. m. Also, at the Postoffice, South Cowichan, or Mr. J. Kinnear's store; at Burgoyne Bay, Vesuvius Bay and Sooke. Due notice of the time of meeting at the four last named places will be given to the Electors.
jy16dw

To the Electors of the District of Victoria, V. I.

GENTLEMEN: In coming before you as a candidate for the honor of being one of your representatives in the House of Commons in the next Parliament of Canada, I desire as briefly as possible to state my views on the main political issues of the day.
To my mind the Railway question in importance to the whole Province overshadows all others, and next to the Railway in importance to Victoria District is the construction at Esquimalt of a first-class Graving Dock. If elected, I shall most strenuously assist in demanding from the Dominion Government the just rights of this Province in connection with these two vital questions. I shall expect no impossibilities; but I shall demand from the Canadian Government an earnest commencement and faithful prosecution in this Province of the Canadian Pacific Railway. Nothing short of this will fulfil the solemn treaty obligations of Canada to British Columbia. So far we have had plenty of promises from Canada, which, alas! to her shame and disgrace have been broken; and sooner than submit to be humbugged in the future as we have been in the past I would sever the cord that binds us to the Confederation. I sincerely hope, however, the day will never come when this or any other Province in the Dominion will be forced for self protection to adopt so high-handed a remedy. In reference to the two political parties in Canada I believe the policy of the Liberal Conservative party best calculated to advance the true interest of our country, and to make it in deed, as well as in word, a great and prosperous Dominion. I further believe that in Sir John Macdonald, the Hon. L. H. Langevin and the Hon. S. L. Tilley we have true friends—men who have the heart and ability to carry out the liberal and advanced plans of the deeply lamented statesman Sir Geo. Cartier, whose rallying cry was, "All aboard for the West!" If elected, it shall be my pleasure to give that party a hearty support, providing they extend to this Province what is fair, right and just. I consider our first duty is to ourselves as British Columbians, and that if we are united and true to our own interests and act as one man in demanding simple justice we shall prevail. I shall aim to harmonize our own contending sectional elements, so as to make our power as a Province felt, always remembering that "united we stand, divided we fall.
If the foregoing views meet with your approval, and you think I have sufficient independence of character to carry them out, I respectfully ask your support.
I am, your obedient servant,
J. H. TODD.
Victoria, V. I., June 4, 1878. je6dw

ELECTORS!
RESERVE YOUR PLEDGES.

TO THE ELECTORS OF VANCOUVER DISTRICT.

GENTLEMEN:—HAVING BEEN CALLED UPON by a large number of merchants, farmers, workingmen and others to represent Vancouver District in the House of Commons at the ensuing general election, and believing that there never was a period in the history of our adopted country more critical than the present—when honest, industrious men, who constitute the bone and sinew of the commonwealth, should look after their rights—when commercial men who are in the channels of trade—enterprising men who develop the resources of the country—workingmen whose honest toil revolves the wheel of commerce and puts the whole machinery in motion—should give that attention and care to public interests which are justly expected of every true patriot and loyal citizen. And having, moreover, been intimately acquainted with the political interests of the Dominion in the Eastern Provinces, and having helped to place men in power who have been the workingman's friends and the friends of progress, such as the Hons. Sir J. A. Macdonald, Ontario; S. L. Tilley, N. B.; Dr. Tupper, N. S.; and J. C. Pope, P. E. I.; I shall, if elected by your suffrages, be found working shoulder to shoulder with such men for the country's weal.
I am led to this determination for the simple reason that the present Government have failed to act justly with British Columbia, after five years of unlimited power. They have given us no definite hope of the immediate construction of the Canadian Pacific Railway and no change of Tariff on account of our isolated and distant geographical position. I advocate therefore:
1. Immediate railway construction and the honorable fulfilment of what is known as the Carnarvon Terms.
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jy17 FAIR PLAY, H.M.S. Rocket.

Daily Colonist.

THURSDAY MORNING, JULY 25TH, 1878.

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THE POLITICAL SITUATION IN BRITISH COLUMBIA.

Under the above heading the Toronto *Globe* of the 12th inst. has a long and well-considered article on the politics of British Columbia. After referring to the change of Government and describing the *personnel* of the new Ministry, the *Globe* proceeds to say that "politics, except in the most purely local sense, do not appear to be known in British Columbia. Mr. Elliott, to supply the demands upon an empty treasury, and to provide for the improvements which in Ontario would be done chiefly by municipal authority, had to pass a law levying taxes on real and personal property. It is hardly denied that he and his colleagues have done much to advance or develop local interests, but the new taxes have proved extremely unpalatable, and what an Ontario taxpayer would regard as a most reasonable and necessary demand upon his pocket, has been loudly denounced as tyrannical and arbitrary in British Columbia. Yet it is stated on the other hand that a Bill to levy taxes on real and personal property had been drawn up by, and was one of the bequests of the Walkem Government in 1876 to their successors. Not a little of this feeling has probably been due to the exaggerated expectations held out to British Columbia at the time they entered into the Union with Canada. It must be admitted that nothing would have been less conducive to self-reliance and independence than the idea, industriously circulated, that the Federal Government of the day could be relied upon to give whatever British Columbia pleased to ask, so long as her half dozen representatives voted squarely in that Government's interest. Even now some misty impression appears to prevail that the new Ministers may do something more than their predecessors towards advancing the settlement of the "railway question." But, while it is certain that no manifestation of political feeling—such as is said to be implied in the defeat of Mr. Elliott—will cause the responsible Ministers of the Crown at Ottawa to change in the least their policy in regard to the Canadian Pacific Railway, it is equally true that no less justice will be done to British Columbia, no matter what may be the character or sympathies of the Administration for the time charged with the control of her local affairs. It has been abundantly demonstrated that to construct the Pacific Railway or to select the route on sectional grounds would lead to endless confusion and loss to the public. It was not at all wonderful that a community suddenly attached to a country with which they had previously no political connection whatever except as a remote dependency of the same Empire, should have troubled little about Canadian politics, and looked far more to matters of purely local interest. Nor can anybody be at all surprised that in respect of an undertaking so essential to the prosperity of the Province and so deeply allied to its progress a degree of sensitiveness should have been exhibited by British Columbian representatives at Ottawa to an extent overtopping all other preferences or predilictions. *Yet it is only too obvious that British Columbia has suffered greatly in the estimation of the Dominion and in the measure of just influence she should be able to exert by the choice she has made of some, perhaps most, of her members in the Dominion Parliament.* It should be her aim to send her best men to Ottawa, men of intellect and moral force, who would be able to make their views respected in a deliberative assembly, and who, while championing the rights of their own Province, would be able to look at every question from a national point of view. *In this sense it is needless to say that the delegation from British Columbia has, as a whole, been miserably deficient,* and no local changes will have one-hundredth part of the effect on British Columbia's welfare in relation to the Dominion that would ensue from a public spirited representation on the floor of the House of Commons, no matter what her members called themselves, or with which political party they were allied."

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Morning Dispatch.

BEACONSFIELD RECEIVES THE ORDER OF THE GARTER.

Betrothal of the Duke of Connaught.

THE ANNEXATION MOVEMENT IN ITALY.

LONDON, July 23.—The Queen has conferred the Order of the Garter on Lord Beaconsfield. The investiture took place at Osborne this morning.

The *Tribune's* London special says the foreign affairs association have petitioned parliament to impeach Beaconsfield for the betrayal of both England and Turkey in the late congress at Berlin.

LONDON, July 23.—A special from Larnaca says a proclamation has been issued declaring that her majesty the Queen takes great interest in the prosperity of the Cyriots and promising reforms and measures to promote agriculture and commerce. Fever is somewhat prevalent in Cyprus.

LONDON, July 23.—In the House of Commons this afternoon the Chancellor of the Exchequer announced the betrothal of the Duke of Connaught, Queen Victoria's third son, with Princess Marie Louise of Prussia, daughter of Prince Frederick Charles. The Chancellor said he would move on Thursday the provision of a grant for the duke. Sir Charles Dilke, radical, gave notice he would submit an amendment reciting that there is no constitutional precedent for such an application.

LONDON, July 23.—The return match between Capt. A. H. Bogardus, the American pigeon shot champion, and Pennel of Hurlingham Park and the gun clubs, took place to-day. They shot at one hundred birds each for one thousand dollars aside. The match was won by Bogardus by two birds.

ROME, July 23.—Telegrams from Genoa, Palermo, Brescia, Pavia, Regio, Demelia, Turin, Pestoga, and Terrara describe the meetings in those cities yesterday in favor of an Italian irredenta as enthusiastic; resolutions of the character passed at Naples, Sunday, and at Paleleama theatre yesterday were voted. Demonstrations were also made in the Goldonia theatre, Ancona, at Armabrunsti and Bologna, and in two streets of Naples, where cries were raised of "Viva Trieste." Meetings will be held at Milan, San Reno and Venice on Sunday next. A band of musicians in Piazzo was obliged to play Garibaldi's hymn several times in answer to the demands of the crowd. The demonstration was finally ended by a band of young men parading the streets singing songs and shouting "Abasso Conti" and "Viva la guerra." Moderate liberals attribute the demonstration to ultramontanes.

LONDON, July 23.—Referring to the requirements of sentimental usage in relation to the proceedings of the Italia irrendenta party the *Diretti* says the government is fully alive to its duties and obligations towards a friendly power and is determined to act up to them. A system of overt friendship and latent conspiracy may suit a weak government which has all to gain and nothing to lose by an adventurous policy; but between great states there can only exist either open friendship or open hostility. It would be an act of perfidy to cast upon the government the responsibility of an agitation which is in a great measure especially directed against itself. The article concludes by expressing deep regret at the present agitation. The *Liberata* observes that the attempted demonstration did not have the results hoped for by its imprudent, fanatical promoters in consequence of the calm and dignified attitude of the population. *La Capitali*, regrets the demonstration which, it avers, was organized either by some thoughtless individuals or by agents of those desirous of stirring up agitation in Italy.

EASTERN STATES.

CHICAGO, July 23.—Private reports and specials to papers here indicate that the first reports of the damage to the wheat crop in Minnesota, Wisconsin, and Iowa by storms and hot weather were much exaggerated and the crops will be nearly as large as last year, perhaps larger.

Evening Dispatch.

EUROPE.

LONDON, July 23.—The freedom of the City will be conferred upon Lords Beaconsfield and Salisbury on the 3rd of August immediately before the Ministerial banquet at the Mansion House. It is believed the debate on Lord Hartington's resolution in the House of Commons will last next week until Friday when a division will take place. The Conservatives will support Plunket's amendment expressing confidence with the whole strength of the party.

LONDON, July 23.—A Constantinople dispatch says that in consequence of the commencement of the evacuation of Shumla, the Russians announce the departure from Turkey of a portion of their troops in six weeks, and that the remainder will retire into Eastern Roumelia.

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DELAYED DISPATCHES.

THE LIBERAL LEADERS ON BEACONSFIELD'S POLICY.

Bitter Denunciations by Gladstone and Forster.

A VIGOROUS STAND TO BE TAKEN IN PARLIAMENT.

EUROPE.

LONDON, July 20.—At the anniversary of the establishment of the Liberal Association of Bermondsey street, London, to-night, Mr. Gladstone made a long speech, in which he begged to decline resuming the leadership of the Liberal party. He powerfully attacked the manner in which the people had lately been governed. No despotic government in Europe would have dared to do what this cabinet had done, accepting such responsibilities unknown to the people. He criticized the treaty of Berlin whereby England consented to replace under the despotic rule of Russia, Bessarabia, which belonged to free Roumania. Russia retains her claim to a heavy indemnity which she can always make a pretext for war. At the same time the treaty destroys the integrity and independence of Turkey. With regard to a convention with Turkey only one epithet is possible, namely, an insane covenant. None of the great English statesmen of the last forty years would have signed it. It is, to our shame, a convention of absurdity and duplicity. It is odious to every valuable feeling of the country, and has alienated the friendship of all foreign powers. England has sold Bessarabia to Russia; the brave Montenegrin conquests to Austria's jealousy and selfishness; the Greeks to Turkey, and, lastly, Turkey herself to England. Gladstone concluded by hoping the ministry would shortly be judged by an appeal to the country.

LONDON, July 21.—W. E. Forster, presiding at the Cobden club dinner last night, made a speech on the eastern question, taking the same general grounds against the government's policy as Mr. Gladstone. He said he and other liberals had hesitated to challenge the government while negotiations were pending, lest a strong opposition might encourage Russia in her warlike attitude, or a weak one encourage our own rulers. But he declared the liberal leaders have now agreed that they will make their protest and take a division regardless of their weakness or strength. They will give the country opportunity by long debate and thorough ventilation of the subject to maturely consider whether or not it approves of the government's acts.

LONDON, July 20.—A correspondent of the Edinburgh *Scotchmna* says the British cabinet has finally resolved not to dissolve the parliament this year.

CALIFORNIA.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 22.—J. W. Gashwiler, a well known stock operator, was arrested at the instance of Samuel H. Brooks, a broker. The complaint is that Gashwilerr epresented to Brooks that he was a man of means and desired plaintiff to buy on his account 2,000 shares of Julia. Brooks bought, paying $13,000. Gashwiler failed to come up with the money, and Brooks was obliged to throw the stock on the market at a loss of $2,800, which he seeks to recover.

J. W. Tripp has been arrested on a charge of felony in appropriating a large amount of stock belonging to five mining companies.

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Memorandum of information for parties proposing to Tender will be forwarded on application as underneath. Engineers' Reports, maps of the country to be traversed, profiles of the surveyed line, specifications of preliminary works, copies of the Act of the Parliament of Canada under which it is proposed the Railway is to be constructed, descriptions of the natural features of the country and its agricultural and mineral resources, and other information, may be seen on application at this Department, or to the Engineer-in-Chief at the Canadian Government Offices, 31 Queen Victoria street, E. C., London.

Sealed Tenders, marked "Tenders for Pacific Railway," will be received, addressed to the undersigned, until the 1st day of December next.

F. BRAUN, Secretary,
Public Works Dept., Ottawa.
Ottawa, May 20, 1878. jy25dw

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Government St., 23d Sept., 1877. se23

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

ALL LETTERS ON PRIVATE BUSINESS ADDRESSED TO THE HON. T. B. HUMPHREYS, PROVINCIAL SECRETARY AND MINISTER OF MINES, SHOULD BE MARKED "PRIVATE" ON THE OUTSIDE OF THE ENVELOPE.

T. ELWYN,
Deputy Provincial Secretary.
Provincial Secretary's Dept.,
Victoria, 23rd July, 1878. jy24dw2m

I. O. O. F.

EXCURSION AND PICNIC!

THE COMMODIOUS STEAMER ISABEL WILL make an

EXCURSION TO PEDDER BAY

On Tuesday, 6th August, 1878,

For Members of the Order and their Families, will leave Engelhardt's Wharf at 9 a. m. sharp.

SPLENDID BAND IN ATTENDANCE!
DANCING ON THE GREEN!
TOMBOLA PRIZES FOR LADIES!

Tickets for Gentlemen	$1 00
do Ladies	50
do Children over 12 years	25
do do under 12 years	Free

COMMITTEE:

Chas. Gowen, W. C. Loye, J. Partridge,
Alex. Phillips, S. Glover, M. Young.

Tickets procured from any member of the Committee. jy23

GRAND VOCAL & INSTRUMENTAL AMATEUR CONCERT

WILL BE GIVEN ON

Tuesday the 30th inst., at Philharmonic Hall.

IN AID OF THE ST. JOHN'S SCHOOL.

The Programme will include Songs, Duets, Glees, &c.

THE GENTLEMEN AMATEUR BAND

Will also play a few Selections.

Leader, Mr. T. WILSON.
Conductor, COOTE M. CHAMBERS.

TICKETS ONE DOLLAR—To be had of Messrs. Brown & White and of Mr. Redfern. jy19

BRITISH COLUMBIA MILLING AND MINING CO., LIMITED.

THE SHAREHOLDERS OF THE B. C. M. & M. Company are requested to meet at the B. C. Stock Board Room on Friday the 26th inst., at 2 p.m., to receive Report of Committee.

C. T. DUPONT, Chairman.
Victoria, July 23, 1878. jy23

PUBLIC NOTICE.

PERSONS ADDRESSING LETTERS ON PRIVATE BUSINESS TO THE HON. C. A. WALKEM, CHIEF COMMISSIONER OF LANDS & WORKS, ARE REQUESTED BY THE UNDERSIGNED TO ENDORSE THE WORD "PRIVATE" ON THE OUTSIDE OF THE ENVELOPES COVERING SUCH COMMUNICATIONS.

A. S. FARWELL,
Surveyor-General.
Land and Works Dept.,
Victoria, July 22, 1878. jy23dw

RAFFLE--MARE "NELLIE."

THE RAFFLE FOR THE MARE NELLIE will take place at the St. Nicholas Saloon on SATURDAY evening next, 27th inst., at 7 o'clock. A few tickets remain unsold. jy23dw

VICTORIA

CORPORATION DEBENTURES

SEALED TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED AT THE CITY COUNCIL CHAMBERS UNTIL THE 24TH JULY PROX., AT 4 O'CLOCK P. M., FOR THE WHOLE OR PORTION OF THE 20,000 DOLLARS DEBENTURES ISSUED IN PURSUANCE OF THE PROVISIONS OF "THE BYLAW TO AUTHORIZE THE RAISING OF TWENTY THOUSAND DOLLARS, 1878."

THESE DEBENTURES BEAR SEVEN PER CENT. PER ANNUM INTEREST, AND THE INTEREST AND SINKING FUND ARE SECURED BY A SPECIAL RATE ON REAL ESTATE, WHICH RATE CANNOT BE ALTERED HEREAFTER.

BY ORDER OF THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL
WILLIAM LEIGH, C. M. C.

CITY CLERK'S OFFICE, June 20, 1878. je21 2p

DISTRICT CORRESPONDENCE.

EDITOR FREE PRESS:—I quite agree with the writer of the article which appeared in your issue on Wednesday last signed "Union and Progress," giving our late, and would-be next, representative in the House of Commons (I mean Bunster) a slight rub for leaving the city without giving an account of his stewardship for the five years he represented us. Yes, Mr. B. spent off and on about a week in town, and surely he could (if he wished) I think without interfering with his business or canvass spare a few hours, say even one, to address us. It's true it was generous, gentlemanly and policy on his part to defer his address and give up the Institute Hall on Saturday in favor of the Bazaar. It is also true the Institute was at his command on the Monday evening following, which would have, in my opinion, suited the purpose and the citizens equally as well. Nanaimo is the centre and the most important part of Vancouver District, and when he can make it convenient to address the different other parts of his constituency why, I ask, does he treat Nanaimo so coolly unless he is under the delusive impression that his right bower can mesmerise every voter to support only him? It's a huge mistake. Come, Bunster, let us hear one of your eloquent speeches, else you will hear again shortly from

HOCKMANN.
Nanaimo, July 3d. jy23dw

THE NEW CANDIDATE.

EDITOR FREE PRESS:—While the electors of this section of Vancouver District regret the neglectful and careless manner in which they were treated by their late representative Bunster, who, previous to his second visit to Nanaimo, were satisfied that during the five years he represented them he worked diligently in Parliament for their interests. But now instead of confirming their confidence in him as a man who worked truly for their interests and the interest of the district, it sadly happens that he will not even condescend to address them, although he solicits and in fact makes sure of their support at the coming Dominion election to return him again as their representative to take his seat in Parliament.

Its now become a street bye-word, why will not Bunster address the Nanaimo citizens? (his once best friends) Invariably the answer is, "he's either afraid or ashamed to meet his political opponent on the platform." If such is the case I leave your readers to judge for themselves. But I voluntarily give my opinion, including his parliamentary training in the House of Commons, simply want of ability.

However, the governing power is now in the voters' hands, that of an excellent choice to replace him in the person of Mr. A. J. McLellan. Mr. McLellan is a native of Prince Edward Island—a part and parcel of the Dominion, and from public report is in every respect an upright man, possessed with a large share of political ability. He is by profession a contractor, and for the six years he has been in this Province he has through extra competency been successful in obtaining road and other contracts from the Provincial Government and private companies. During that time, through his upright dealing with the general public, he has won for himself an enviable reputation.

I was not aware until the present occasion that Mr. McLellan had taken any interest in the politics of the Province, yet I am fully satisfied that he has identified himself from the first day he landed in British Columbia with the Conservative party. He has lately held a public meeting in the Institute Hall, which was largely attended and I must say the most orderly meeting that ever I attended in this city. And subsequently, although with considerable inconvenience to himself and his business at present, he ably addressed the electors of Comox in front of Mr. Rodello's store, and as an eye-witness says, "in justice to all that it was the largest meeting ever convened in that thriving portion of Vancouver District." After such a reception in both the principal and the only parts that he so far had the honor to publicly address the electors of the district, he enters upon his canvass with every prospect of success. GHOUGH.
Nanaimo, July 19th. jy23dw

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

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Opposite Alhambra Building, Yates St., Victoria.
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WHARF STREET, VICTORIA.

The Stock of STROUSS, BRIGGS, KURTZ & CO. having been purchased by me, I will continue the business as heretofore, and

SELL AT GREATLY REDUCED PRICES!

By recent arrivals per Steamers and ship "Princess Royal," from London,

THE STOCK HAS BEEN REPLENISHED WITH

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Which I will offer to the TRADE on the MOST FAVORABLE TERMS.

VICTORIA, July 10th, 1878. **C. STROUSS.** jy11 1m

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ONE CASE

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C. STROUSS.

July 10th, 1878. jy11

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6, 8, 9 AND 10-4

SHEETINGS!

C. STROUSS.

July 10th, 1878. jy11

RECEIVED PER PRINCESS ROYAL

And other Recent Arrivals.

GROCERIES.

TEA—Congou, Japan and U. S. SUGAR—San Francisco Refined, Peruvian and China. RAISINS—Muscatels and Sultanas, Currants, Candied Peel, Price's Candles Taylor's Cocoa and Cocoa Nibs, Coleman's Mustard, Robinson's Oatmeal, Jams, Jellies and Marmalade, Spices Ground and Whole, Vinegar in casks and cases.

OILMAN'S STORES.

PICKLES (Crosse & Blackwell's and Copland's), Assorted Sauces, Salad Oil, Castor Oil, Capers, Curry Powder, Olives, Ultarmarine Blue, Coleman & Glenfield's Starch, Albert's Sardines, halves and quarters.

LIQUORS.

GIN—Swaine Boord & Co.'s Old Tom.
BRANDY—Martineau and Martell, in quarter cask and case.
WHISKY—Irish, Erin go Bragh.
WHISKY—Scotch, Rob Roy and Campbleton; in octaves, quarter cask and case.
WHISKY—Canadian, Bourbon, Rye and Malt, in bulk and case.
ALCOHOL and PURE SPIRITS.

AND A GENERAL ASSORTMENT OF

GROCERIES AND PROVISIONS,

FOR SALE BY

RICHARD CARR,

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The undersigned having made additions to his Boot and Shoe Establishment, is now prepared to manufacture all kinds of

BOOTS AND SHOES,

CONSISTING OF

Ladies' Empress Button,	Gents' Broadway Gaiters,	Gents' Tongue Boots,
" " Ties,	" Oxford Ties,	" Button Boots,
" Polished Lace,	" Seamless Calf Gaiters,	" Lace Boots,
" Button,	" Eng. Enam'ld Leggins,	" Elastic Side Boots,
" Seamless do. new style	" Riding Boots,	" Webster Tie,
" Congress Fh glove kid	" Napoleon do.	" Windsor Buckle,
Gents' Centennial Bucks,	" Wellington Boots,	" Emperor Button.
" Crimp Gaiters,		

CORK SOLE BOOTS A SPECIALTY.

CHILDREN'S AND YOUTHS' BOOTS AND SHOES OF ALL DESCRIPTIONS MADE TO ORDER.

All orders promptly attended to. Repairing done with neatness and dispatch All the above mentioned goods made to order CHEAP for CASH by

GEORGE H. MAYNARD,

FORT STREET, VICTORIA.
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TEA AND COFFEE DEALER,

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BEST JAVA COFFEE FRESH ROASTED AND ground daily.
Goods delivered to any partof the city.

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NOS. 1 AND 2 CHINA RICE,
" " CHINA SUGAR IN MATS,
" " CENTRAL AMERICAN, REFINED, IN KEGS.
CALIFORNIA CIRCLE A. CRUSHED, IN BRLS.

For sale to the trade in lots to suit by
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WANTED

A SITUATION—CAN DO PLAIN COOKING, washing, ironing, housework, dairy work and plain sewing well, and has some knowledge of dressmaking. Address "E. N.," in care of D. Pitceathly, Esq., Belleville, Ontario, Canada West. jy23dw

WANTED

AT NANAIMO IMMEDIATELY 2 GOOD STONEmasons and one good Mine Blacksmith. Good wages will be given. For particulars apply to
Mr. JOHN WILSON,
jy21 On board the Cariboo-Fly.

TEACHER WANTED

FOR THE MOODYVILLE SCHOOL, BURRARD Inlet. Lady preferred.
Application in the handwriting of applicant to be addressed to the Board of Trustees, Moodyville School, Burrard Inlet. B. SPRINGER,
jy21 Secretary.

WANTED

AN ACTIVE YOUTH TO WORK IN A GROCERY Store, must drive and attend to a horse.
ap17 Apply to J. FINLAYSON, Fort St.

WANTED

A GIRL IN A SMALL FAMILY TO MAKE HERself generally useful. Address
jy18 1m "F. S.," COLONIST Office.

WANTED

A GOOD BREAD BAKER—
jy12 Apply at This Office.

WANTED

BY A YOUNG MAN A SITUATION IN AN OFfice. Respectability guaranteed. Address "C. F. C.," Victoria Postoffice. jy11

WANTED TO PURCHASE

A LOT WITH A COTTAGE ON IT, WITHIN ten minutes' walk of the Post Office. Address "CASH," COLONIST Office. jy9

WANTED.

AN APPRENTICE TO LEARN DRESSMAKING. View street, above Douglas.
je18 MISS E. GEORGE.

WANTED

AN APPRENTICE TO LEARN DRESSMAKING At
je22 MRS. JAMIESON'S.

WANTED,

IN A FAMILY WHERE THERE ARE THREE Children, a woman to cook, assist with the children and to do general housework. Liberal wages will be paid to a suitable person. Apply at THE COLONIST Office. je30

FOR SALE--TO LET.

A RARE CHANCE TO SETTLERS.

FOR SALE

A FARM COMPRISING 156 ACRES (FREEHOLD Bottom Land, excellent for agricultural purposes; nearly all cleared; 20 acres ploughed, 60 acres under fence; together with comfortable five-roomed House, barns, stable and other outbuildings.

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160 Acres Pre-emption Claim, held by certificate Improvements,

The above desirable property is situated within ten miles of Victoria City from which a good road leads to it. For further particulars apply at THE COLONIST OFFICE. je26dw1m

FOR SALE.

A VERY DESIRABLE FARM IN THE BEST part of South Saanich, containing 150 Acres, 50 under cultivation, *the entire Farm under Fence.* Apply to C. MORTON,
Land Agent, Langley St.
Victoria, B. C., July 19th, 1878. jy21dw1m

FURNISHED APARTMENTS.

ONE OR TWO FURNISHED BEDROOMS, WITH or without board. Apply to
jy23 MRS. BAKER, Yates St.

FOR SALE.

TWO WELL BRED HORSES, GOOD goers, good under the saddle or in harness, young and sound, will be sold CHEAP if applied for immediately at TOOMEY'S Livery and Sale Stables, Broad street, near Fort.
Victoria, July 16th, 1878. jy17 1w

FOR SALE OR LEASE.

A VERY DESIRABLE LOT AT SPRING RIDGE 60x107 with Buildings thereon, suitable for a Milk Ranch. Apply to C. MORTON,
Real Estate & House Agent, Langley St.
Victoria, B. C., 12th July, 1878. jy13

TO LET.

NEATLY FURNISHED APARTMENTS, WITH OR without Board, on Yates street. Apply to
jy11 "X.Y.Z.," COLONIST Office.

FOR SALE.

A FIRST CLASS CLIPPER MOWER, ALL COMplete. Price $100. Apply to
je28 W. R. CLARKE & CO., Yates St.

A SALOON FOR SALE,

WITH IMMEDIATE POSSESSION, WITH BAR Fixtures, Wines, Liquors, Cigars, Glassware, etc., etc., complete. Five rooms on ground floor and three large rooms on first floor. Owner leaving on account of going into another business.
Address at once "*Advertiser,*" Box 131, Postoffice.
je29

TO BE LET.

THE STORE AND UPSTAIRS OFFICES IN Dominion Block, Government street, lately occupied by the Canadian Pacific Railway Survey, either together or separate. For terms apply to
H. F. HEISTERMAN,
je30 Land Agent, Langley St.

TO LET.

A FINE NEW HOUSE ON THE CORNER of Birdcage Walk and Superior street, James Bay, containing parlor, sitting room, dining room, four bedrooms, kitchen, bathroom, pantry, cupboards, closets, etc. Rent low to a good tenant.
je20 Apply to W. G. CAMERON.

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A COMPLETE OUTFIT FOR A DAILY OR Weekly Newspaper, in perfect order, including:—

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700 lbs. Bourgeoise;
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Full founts of Display Type;
Column Rules, Advertisement Rules;
Cases, Chases, Stones, Racks, etc.

Apply at THE COLONIST OFFICE
Victoria, B. C., June 12th, 1878. je13

FARM FOR SALE.

TENDERS FOR THE PURCHASE OF THE FARM situate on Kuper Island, near Chemainus, late the property of William Conn, deceased, containing 100 acres, with Buildings and various improvements, will be received by the undersigned up till Noon on Saturday the 15th June next.

HENRY S. MASON,
my14 1m Official administrator Supreme Court.

TO LET.

TWO LARGE, LOFTY AND WELL LIGHTED offices in the B. C. Stock Board Building. Possession of one can be had immediately and of the other on the 1st July next. Apply to
je4 C. MORTON.

FOR SALE.

THE GOOD WILL AND BAR FIXTURES OF AN old established house on Government street.
my31 1m Apply at this office.

FOR SALE.

ONE LIGHT SPRING WAGON, ONE TWO-INCH Axle Farm Wagon. Apply to H. WARNER,
my24 Star Saloon, Victoria.

BRITISH COLUMBIA MILLING AND MINING COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT A LIST OF Shareholders delinquent on the second call of TEN CENTS PER SHARE is now in course of preparation, and will be published in a few days, in accordance with the Articles of Association of the Company. G. A. SARGISON,
Secretary.
Victoria, B. C., July 13th, 1878. jy14

MESSRS. WARREN & YORK

HAVING LEASED THE PREMISES LATELY occupied by Mrs. Shakespeare, Fort Street, beg to inform their friends and the public generally that they have now on hand a

GOOD ASSORTMENT OF

DRY GOODS, MILLINERY,

ETC., ETC.

☞ Special attention is invited to the Millinery Department, under the management of Mrs. Warren.
je25 1m

ROAD TAX DEFAULTERS.

THIS TAX IS NOW OVERDUE FOR THE CURrent Year, and must be paid forthwith at the office of W. E. BULL, by all citizens not assessed for Real Estate, or Summonses will be issued.
July 15th, 1878. jy16 tf

Daily Colonist.

THURSDAY MORNING, JULY 25TH, 1878.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

PORT OF VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA.

ENTERED.

July 24—Str City of Panama, San Francisco
Str Wilson G. Hunt, New Westminster
Str Olympia, Pt Townsend
Str Sir James Douglas, Pt Townsend

CLEARED.

July 24—Str City of Panama, Pt Townsend
Sch Industry, Saanich
Str Isabel, Pt Townsend
Str Wilson G. Hunt, New Westminster
Str Olympia, Pt Townsend
Str Sir James Douglas, Pt Townsend

PORT OF SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA.

July 21—Arrived—Schr Reporter, Seattle; bk Oregon, Seabeck; ship Belvidere, Nanaimo; sch Compeer, Pt Gamble; bk Penang, Departure Bay; bk Harvest Home, Seattle.

Sailed—Ship Young America, New York.

July 22—Arrived—Ship Red Cross, New York; Br. ship British Army, Liverpool; bk Enoch Talbot, Seattle.

Sailed—Bk B. F. Watson, Burrard Inlet.

July 23—Arrived—Str Dakota, Victoria; ship Warhawk, Seattle; Norwegian bk Johan Irgens, Departure Bay.

MEMORANDA.

The Pacific Mail S. S. Co.'s stmp City of Panama, W. B. Seabury, Commander, sailed from San Francisco, July 20th, 1873, having on board 30 cabin and 35 steerage passengers, 28 bags mail matter, 5 pkgs treasure valued at $14,560, and 6131 pkgs assorted merchandise, machinery, etc.—500 tons. July 22nd, at 5 a. m., off Rogue River, met stmp Dakota, bound South.

PASSENGERS.

Per stmp City of Panama, fm San Francisco—Mrs. C. H. Lambkin, Miss Mary Couse, Capt. H. L. Kohler, J. G. M. Lamb, S. Fenchtwenger, M. J. O'Brien, E. Sikes, N. Hayes, Jas. Nichols, Henry Fell, Wm. Sproule, J. Sproule, Thomas Kelly, N. Ette, Mrs. B. Jacobs, C. Ward, John Gallagher, Robert Calhoun, Thos. Bennett and wife, 5 chldn and infant, Geo. Thompson, C. J. Hicks, H. Boslin, Wm. Harvey, Alex. Brown and 7 Chinese.

Per str Olympia, fm Puget Sound—J. M. Maum, G. Gardner, E. T. Parsons, E. Fancher, E. Strout, J. D. Meyer, A. Fried, C. Falk, Mrs. G. M. White, W. May and 2 Chinamen.

CONSIGNEES.

Per stmp City of Panama, from San Francisco—Turner, Beeton & Tunstall, Langley & Co, R W Deane, Matthews, Richards & Tye, Thos Wilson & Co, James Brown, W & J Wilson, Wm Charles, A B Gray & Co, W L Boyde, Stahlschmidt & Ward, A Bossi & Co, A B Cooke, Atlas Foundry, C Ball, A & W Wilson, Adams & Co, British Col P Co, B F Dillon, Brown & White, Burns & Co, C McK Smith, Calbraith, Grant & Co, C G Major, C Strouss, C F Berin, D D McIntosh, David Leneveu, Eli Harrison, E B Marvin, Edgar Marvin, E Grancini, F Eickhoff, Findlay, Durham & Brodie, Fellows & Roscoe, F Neufelder, G T Seymour, H Bornstien, Commander-in-Chief H M S Opal, H B Co, H M Cowper, H J Young, Hing Yew, H Jewell, H Mansell, Holbrook & Co, Henry Saunders, J B Lovell, J Bramwell, John Quagliotti, John Weiler, James Todd, Jno Dougall, Jas Elford, Jas Cunningham, Jas Crossen, J H Todd, J Wise, J Finlayson, J Strachan, J Gosnell, King & Co, Lane, Pike & Nelson, L Gold, L S Cohen, Lettice & Mitchell, L H Wilton, Miss E Skinner, Mrs Prior, M D Harris, Mrs Couses, M W Waitt & Co, M J O'Brien, Mansell & Holroyd, McKenzie & Meston, Mrs Bagnall, Mara & Wilson, Moore & Co, Mrs Levy, Oppenheimer Bros, Peter McQuade & Sons, P Ousterout, Rickman & Ofner, Rueff & Co, R Maynard, Shears & Partridge, Tai Soong & Co, Tai Yune & Co, T Shotbolt, Welch-Rithet, W Heathorn, W Jackson, W H Keary, Wm Blakie, Wells-Fargo, Order.

AUCTION SALES TO-DAY.

J. P. DAVIES & CO., will sell at 11 o'clock, at salesrooms, Dry Goods, Furnishing Goods, Hats, Caps, Clothing, Blankets, etc.

TELEGRAPHIC DISPATCHES.

THE BRITISH COLONIST IS THE ONLY NEWSPAPER PUBLISHED IN BRITISH COLUMBIA THAT RECEIVES TELEGRAPHIC DISPATCHES. ITS VALUE AS A NEWS AND ADVERTISING MEDIUM IS THEREFORE APPARENT.

The Hudson Bay Company.

A general court of the Hudson Bay Company was held on the 22nd ult. at the City Terminus Hotel. The Right Hon. G. J. Goshen, M.P., the Governor, presided, and in moving the adoption of the report, said he need hardly assure the shareholders that if it were unpleasant for them to attend the meeting and know they were going to receive no dividend, it was still more unpleasant for the Directors. They were extremely grateful for the forbearance and patience which they had received from the great bulk of their shareholders, and which they had sorely needed in their continued efforts to do the best they could in the trying circumstances of the moment. The difference between the results of the trade of 1876, as compared with the results of the trade of 1875, was mainly due to a further fall in the price of furs. Owing to the distance of the posts, and their scattered nature, there was great difficulty in communicating with them, and a good deal of time must elapse after a fall in prices in Europe before business could be contracted on an altered scale on the other side. They had now positive information that a reduction in the tariffs was in operation, and they would endeavor to purchase so as to leave a profit even at present prices. In 1876 they suffered by having to sell at a reduced price what they had paid a high price for, and now he hoped the reverse would happen. Another great element of prosperity or of misfortune was to the quantities of furs which they obtained, and the quantities had been fairly kept up. There had been starvation at certain points of their territory among the Indians. The Company's prosperity depended, to a certain extent, on the well-being of the Indians. The Company was essentially necessary to the outlying districts of Canadian territory, and he thought they might put this forward when they had to negotiate difficult and intricate matters with the Dominion Government. In conclusion, he said the financial condition of the company was exceedingly satisfactory. They had reduced the capital employed by the company, and, notwithstanding the bad times, their cash and securities had increased as compared with last year. Mr. Eden Colvile, the Deputy-Governor, seconded the motion, when considerable discussion followed. In reply to questions, the Governor said the stationary balance of £800,214 had always been assumed to represent the land and that portion of the capital of the company which was invested in its posts and lands, and it would only be subject to fluctuation by the sale of a portion of these lands. When the Oregon claims were settled the amount was reduced to its present figures from £1,073,070, and the capital was also reduced to £1,700,000 from £2,000,000. The accounts were balanced through the undivided profits. An amendment was moved to the effect that a dividend of 4s. per share should be paid out of the undivided profits of £20,000, but the chairman said the Board disapproved the proposition. The amendment was rejected, and the report was subsequently adopted.

THE steamer Wilson G. Hunt arrived at 1:15 p.m. from New Westminster with 15 bales of wool for A. B. Gray & Co., two bundles hides for W. Heathorn, and the following passengers: Capt. Ainsworth and wife, F. J. Barnard and wife, Uriah Nelson, A.B. Gray, S. Balch, J.A. Laurin, S. Kinney, Abel Romna, W. D. Ferris, McNaughton, F. Code and daughter.

GAZETTED.—The appointment of Mr. Richard Hunter of this city to be a subcollector in Her Majesty's Customs; and of Mr. Charles E. Bunting of this city to be a landing waiter and searcher in Her Majesty's Customs, are gazetted at Ottawa.

New Westminster District.

[From the Guardian.]

The Wilson G. Hunt brought up the first installment of the steel rails from Esquimalt, yesterday morning. His Worship the Mayor and several of the Town Councillors were on the wharf, but nothing in the shape of a demonstration was attempted. The fact is, our citizens remember a very ridiculous fuss that was made over driving a stake at Esquimalt, and declined to cut a similar figure on the arrival of twenty-five tons of steel rails *en route* for Union Bar.

The schooner General Harney, Capt. Lloyd, arrived from Sehome on Sunday with the machinery and other material required to construct a saw-mill at Sumas, in connection with the dyking operations at that place and vicinity. Mr. Pitchford, of the firm of Pitchford & West, the proprietors, came over in the Harney, and will superintend the immediate erection of the mill.

The police court is doing a thriving business; on Monday last there were about fifteen cases of "drunks," and some with the more serious affix of "disorderly" to the charge.

[From the Herald.]

We are told that gentlemen living in Victoria, whose business compels them to lunch down town, bring a bottle of water from home with them as the fluid supplied to the city is unfit to drink; and the water works cost $200,000!

There were fifty-five prisoners in jail here on Monday last. Time the penitentiary was opened for the accommodation of some of them.

LORD DUFFERIN.—The New York *Sun* says:—Lord Dufferin, whose departure from the shores of America is a grief to Canada, has inherited the charm of manner and conversation that distinguished his famous great grandfather and scarcely less agreeable grandfather. Lord Dufferin is a Whig, and if his party be in office when Lord Lytton's term in India expires, there is very little doubt but that public opinion will point to him as the man for the post. His too generous maintenance of his office in Canada has made heavy inroads on his private resources. It is estimated that a Governor General of India can always save $250,000 although he nowadays is strictly prohibited from accepting those presents which made a great addition to the profits of a Hastings and a Clive.

THE VALUE OF CYPRUS TO GREAT BRITAIN.—This is how an Eastern contemporary puts it:—"With Cyprus at the extreme eastern end, commanding the Suez canal on the south, the valley of the Euphrates on the east, and Asia Minor on the north, England not only becomes master of the Mediterranean, but, with her powerful navy, she is almost master of Europe and of the East." Considering that England gains so much at so little cost, is a high compliment to the diplomacy of Lord Beaconsfield, whose side treaty with Turkey secured the island.

ONE DOLLAR COUNTERFEITS.—The counterfeit one dollar Dominion bills which were passed and afterwards detected at Toronto, closely resemble the genuine, and are a very clever counterfeit. They are a little larger in size than the genuine, the back is slurred and the front does not present the clear impression of the other. Cartier's eyes look very much like black dots, while there is no dot over the I in Mr. Harrington's signature. The figures in the number of the bill are also smaller.

CRICKET.—A reply was received yesterday from the San Francisco cricketers with reference to the invitation of the Victorians. They state that it will be impossible for them to visit this city in August next, but if convenient to the home eleven they would in all probability be able to come in September; much, however, depends on their being able to get a good team together.

MARINE CHARTERS.—Bark Whistler will take coal from Departure Bay to Santa Monica for $4 a ton. Ship Marianne Nottebohn will take coal from Nanaimo to Acapulco for $7 a ton. Bark B. F. Watson will take lumber from Burrard Inlet to Melbourne. The last-named sailed from San Francisco Monday for the Inlet to take in cargo.

CRICKET.—The return match between the eleven from H. M. S. Shah and the Victoria team will take place at Colwood to-day, game to commence at 10:30 sharp. On Saturday there will be a match at Beacon Hill between a team selected from the fleet at present in Esquimalt, and Victoria. The band of the Shah will perform from 3 to 5 p.m.

THE steamship City of Panama brought 65 passengers, 28 bags of mail matter, $14,560 in treasure, and 509 tons of freight from San Francisco. Of the freight 361 tons are for Victoria consignees; 24 tons are destined for Nanaimo. The C. of P. sailed for Puget Sound and Nanaimo yesterday afternoon.

THE steamer Enterprise arrived at 3 p.m. yesterday from New Westminster with the following passengers: Mr. and Mrs. McKay, Mrs. Chown, Mrs. Eckstein, Mrs. Gannon, Miss Skinner, Miss Mansell, J. Fell, T. Westgarth, W. Wing, Ragazonni, Marks.

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY.—Sealed tenders will be received at Ottawa for constructing and working a line of railway from the Province of Ontario to the waters of the Pacific Ocean until December 1st next. The distance is computed at 2000 miles.

NAVAL.—H. M. S. Albatross has arrived at Chatham from the Pacific, for the purpose of being paid off and put out of commission. H.M.S. Emerald has been commissioned to relieve H.M.S. Opal on this station and will sail shortly for the Pacific.

ORGAN RECITAL.—Mr. Durny, the brilliant amateur organist, will give a recital at Christ Church Cathedral to-morrow afternoon at 4½ o'clock. None who have listened to Mr. Durny's beautiful playing will fail to attend on this occasion.

CORNISH MINE.—The steamship City of Panama brought up 513 packages of machinery for Messrs. Francis & Nicholas, proprietors of the Cornish mine at Nanaimo.

THE steamer Isabel arrived at 3:50 P.M. yesterday from Port Townsend with Wells Fargo's express, about 15 passengers, 40 sacks of flour, and 53 Chinamen for King & Co.'s canneries, New Westminster.

AT HOME.—Mrs. Richards has issued cards of invitation for an "At Home" at Government House on Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

THE steamer Sir James Douglas sails at 6 o'clock this morning for Port Townsend, returning this afternoon with the mails.

Municipal Council.

WEDNESDAY, July 24.

His Worship the Mayor took the Chair at 8:10 p.m. Present, Couns. Todd, Williams, Shakespeare, Redfern and Dalby.

COMMUNICATIONS

Were read from residents of Birdcage Walk, calling attention to the grading of the sidewalk at the entrance to Government buildings and asking that the sidewalk be properly graded. Referred to the Street Committee.

From F. Campbell, calling attention to condition of the sidewalk on his lot which had been displaced by the orders of the Water Commissioner, and asking that the sidewalk may be properly relaid. Referred to Street Committee.

From a Sister of St. Ann, asking that the Council defray the expenses of the funeral of A. Fletcher, who had died in the Hospital. It was ordered that $10 be appropriated for that purpose.

From J. E. McMillan, calling attention to the disgraceful state of the sidewalk on Yates street, opposite his lot, and offering to relay it if the Corporation would grade the walk. Granted.

From J. H. Doane, asking that the lines of lots 430 and 431 might be defined. Granted.

From Bossi & Goisellman, asking for permission to construct a box drain from their premises, corner Yates and Broad streets, to box drain on east side of Broad street. Granted.

From R. Medana asking for a refund of $2 paid as pound fee for a horse impounded among others. Laid on table.

From A. Porter calling attention to the present line of Cormorant street, between Government and Yates streets, and asking that it be permanently defined, as the lines given by the present Surveyor differ from those given by the former Surveyor. Referred to City Surveyor to report on.

From residents drawing the attention of the corporation to the condition of View street, between Broad and Douglas streets. Referred to Street Committee.

From E. Wood, calling attention to the sidewalk in front of his property and offering to relay the sidewalk from the corner of Douglas and Pandora streets, 120 feet east, if the Council will construct a similar sidewalk 120 feet southward. Referred to the Street Committee.

From G. Tompkins, asking permission to use a portion of Johnson street while putting up a new building, and also to lower the sidewalk to its proper level. Referred to Street Committee.

From C. C. Ball, calling attention to a Chinese gambling house near his residence. Referred to the Sergeant of Police.

From W. C. Ward, calling attention to the inadequate supply of water to his residence on Moss street.

The Collector was ordered to call and see Mr. Ward on the matter.

From Messrs. Langley as follows: Examination of three specimens of water delivered by Mr. Gastineau, C.E., and numbered 1, 2 and 3. We directed attention particularly to determine the presence of organic matter. A colour test, sufficiently accurate for the purpose, was adopted, comparisons being made between the *three specimens sent, pure distilled water*, and *city water* (drawn this day, Tuesday, 23rd July.) The relative degrees of organic matter present are here conveniently shown by figures. Distilled water being pure is taken as a standard: Distilled water, 0; city water, 5; No. 1, 5; No. 2, 1; No. 3, 2.

Specimen No. 2 was selected for futher comparison with the city water. A pint on evaporation gave the following result: No. 2 residue 0.250 grains; city water residue 0.500 grains. These residues are chiefly chlorides of calcium and aluminina mixed with organic matter. On burning the residues the following was the result: In No. 2, earthy matter, 0.250 grains; organic matter, a trace. In city water, earthly matter, 0.250 grains; organic matter, 0.250 grains.

The above figures will show the superiority of No. 2 over the present water supplied. Mr. Gastineau informs us that the specimens are from Elk Lake, No. 1 being from the bottom of the lake, depth 28 feet; No. 2 half way down and No. 3 from the surface. Both No. 2 and 3 are good soft water, clear, limpid and tasteless. No further examination was made as the time was short.

From the Water Commissioner reporting on matters referred to him at previous meetings.

A report was also read from the Collector on the application of Messrs. Moore, Nuttall and others for an extention of the water main along Dallas road, Montreal and Quebec streets to their residences.

It was ordered that the proposed alterations be carried out.

From the City Barrister, referring to the communication of the Provincial Secretary with reference to the moiety of fines paid under the Indian Liquor Act and giving as his opinion that it should be paid to the Dominion Government.

It was ordered that the money be handed over to the Provincial Government on their giving a proper receipt for it.

CHINESE WASH-HOUSES.

A new by-law for the prevention of nuisances caused by Chinese wash-houses was read a first time.

WATER TAPS.

Coun. Todd moved that the water commissioner be instructed to put a notice in the daily papers stating that anyone allowing their water taps to remain open between the hours of 7 a. m. and 9 p. m., thereby causing a waste of water, will be prosecuted. Carried.

WATER COMMISSIONER.

Coun. Dalby moved that as Mr. Gastineau has not sufficient time to attend to both the office of City Surveyor and Water Commissioner that his services as Water Commissioner be dispensed with, and Mr. Preece be appointed under Mr. Russell at a salary of $100 per month to look after the waterworks and see that they are kept in good order.

Seconded by Coun. Williams.

His Worship the Mayor said this was virtually the same resolution as that brought forward at a previous meeting by Coun. Dalby and he must refuse to put it unless specific charges were laid and the Water Commissioner given an opportunity of replying to those charges. He thought the best thing to do would be to appoint a committee to enquire into the matter.

Coun. Dalby said the only charge he had to bring against the water commissioner was that he had not sufficient time to attend to the water works and he therefore thought that it was in the interest of the ratepayers that some person should be appointed who would find time to attend to them.

Coun. Williams said that if the Mayor was going to rule the Council and put just what motion he pleased then it was no use any one of the councillors attending at an evening. The Mayor must either put the motion or resign and he would sit till 12 o'clock at night to see that the Mayor put the motion.

Coun. Shakespeare said no charge was brought against the water commissioner, and he thought Mr. Gastineau would find enough to do as surveyor especially as it is proposed to make a survey of the city. He failed to see any reason why the motion should not be put and would sit in his seat till morning and see that the Mayor put the motion.

Coun. Redfern said he was glad to see that the Mayor had taken a decided stand in this matter. It was most improper to dismiss any official without just cause. Coun. Dalby's motion was a very strange one. He desired to discharge an official because he had too much work to do instead of giving him assistance. He considered His Worship was perfectly justified in refusing to put the motion. Of course if any two of the Councillors appealed against the mayor's decision, and the majority of the Council were in favor of the motion being put then His Worship would have to leave the chair and the other councillors would have to appoint a chairman.

Coun. Todd considered the Water Commissioner was appointed for one year and could not be discharged before that time had expired without just cause. The action of the Mayor he considered quite in accordance with the rules of order, and with justice.

Coun. Dalby said he saw no reason why the motion should not be put; no charges were made at all; all they wanted was that someone should be appointed, who could give his whole time to the work.

His Worship said he had refused to put a previous motion because no charges were brought, and he had then stated his reason for not putting the motion. To-night a second motion, if not in so many words exactly similar to the previous one, had been moved, and he was still of the same opinion that the motion was most unjust and he would therefore refuse to put it so long as he was Mayor. The proper action of the Council would be to give Mr. Gastineau an assistant. As to whether the motion was in order or not he was willing to leave it to the decision of the City Barrister, but until that was done he would sleep in his chair before he would put the motion.

Coun Williams again said he would make the Mayor put the motion or resign his position.

Coun. Todd considered that the rules of order gave the Mayor discretionary powers as to whether a motion was in order or not.

Coun. Williams thought that as they could do no business the best thing to do would be for the whole Council to hand in their resignation, and he would do it himself if the Mayor would.

The Council then remained sitting till 11.05 when His Worship left the chair and wished all good night. Couns. Todd and Redfern followed. Couns. Dalby, Shakespeare and Williams then dispatched the messenger to try and find Coun. Marvin and get him to come down to the Council and take the chair. At 11:30 the messenger returned without Councillor Marvin and the three Councillors then left.

A Political Convention Nominates Candidates.

About 30 electors met at Moody's Hall yesterday by invitation to select two candidates as bearers of the Liberal-Conservative banner at the ensuing commons election. Three candidates, Messrs. DeCosmos, Todd and Dalby, were represented by ten delegates each. Mr. Wilson, M. P. P. elect, was chairman, and Dr. Davie acted as Secretary. The three aspirants attended and made brief addresses, and Mr. Humphreys, who was in the character of a delegate, and other gentlemen, made a few suggestions. Balloting for a choice of two candidates followed, and Messrs. DeCosmos and Dalby were at once selected. The result was a foregone conclusion as noses had been counted before the convention was called together, and Mr. Dalby's position on the ticket was doubtless assured before his friends consented to the submission of his name. Mr. Todd's defeat will be much regretted. It is rumored that Mr. Davies was asked to submit his name to the convention, but that having received timely information that the nominations were cut-and-dried, he wisely declined to be mixed up with it.

THEATRICAL ENTERTAINMENT. — A dramatic entertainment, under the patronage of Admiral De Horsey and officers of the fleet, took place last evening on board H. M. S. Shah. The programme consisted of Boucicault's popular drama "The Octoroon," in which the company appeared to great advantage. During the evening the orchestra performed a number of selections, which were warmly applauded by the audience. The entertainment was a decided success from the rise of the curtain until it was finally rung down.

AGAIN WE CALL THE ATTENTION of mothers to the fact that they can save money by purchasing Boys' Clothes of W. J. JEFFREE, who has received by the last steamer the largest, best and cheapest lot ever imported into this Province. Double hard twisted tweeds for school wear. *

SALUTE.—The British Columbia Artillery Company will fire a salute of 13 guns on Monday next, the 29th inst., at Macauley's Point, on the occasion of His Honor the Lieutenant Governor's opening the new Provincial Legislature.

CHARTERED TO CARRY SALMON.— We understand that the ship Gondolier has been chartered by Welch, Rithet & Co. to carry a cargo of salmon to England. She will accommodate 45,000 cases.

THE steamer Olympia, Captain Stothard, arrived at 3:35 p.m. yesterday from Olympia and way ports with 50,000 laths and a few passengers.

THE STEAMER LEONORA will leave here early to-morrow morning for Point Atkinson to bring down the Stephens' survey party. She will return *via* Nanaimo.

NO JUBILEE.—The New Westminsterians showed their good sense on the arrival of the Wilson G. Hunt with steel rails. They did not jubilate.

THE electric candle has been successfully introduced at the Palace Hotel, San Francisco.

TRIPLETS.—A San Francisco lady, native of Switzerland, recently gave birth to three children. All doing well.

ARRIVED DOWN.—The steamship Dakota arrived at San Francisco on Tuesday last.

THE New Westminster *Herald* says the catch of Fraser River salmon this season will not exceed 60,000 cases.

THE STEAMER OTTER will tow the bark Princess Royal out to sea about four p.m. to-day.

F. M. BATES, the actor, has disappeared mysteriously from Melbourne.

What excited Lord Salisbury's wrath.

NEW YORK, July 19.—A *Tribune* London special has the following account of the episode in the House of Lords last evening; Earl Derby said he had left the Cabinet because the Government had resolved upon sending a secret expedition from India to occupy Cyprus, or a Syrian port, against the will of the Sultan, if necessary. The Marquis of Salisbury, in replying, very emphatically said the statement was untrue. Upon this there was a great uproar among the members, many of whom rose to their feet. Whereupon Salisbury substituted the word "unauthentic" in place of "untrue." Derby reiterated his remarks, when the House was adjourned amid the wildest confusion.

Canadian Mail.

[Per Steamship City of Panama.]

OTTAWA, July 6.—The robbery of the Deputy Receiver-General's office at Toronto is regarded by the Department here as a very serious transaction. Last night Mr. Anderson, Inspector of Government savings banks, and Mr. Crookshank, of the Receiver-General's office, left for Toronto to inquire into the circumstances connected with the robbery.

It is with no ordinary feelings of regret that we record the death of Mr. C. Tyner, for many years prominently known as editor and chief writer of the Hamilton *Times*.

MONTREAL, July 14.—A fire in Hawley's sash factory, planing-mill and lumber yard, caused a loss of $50,000. Insured.

A writ of attachment in insolvency was issued a couple of weeks ago against James Beaty, of Toronto, proprietor of the *Leader* newspaper, at the instance of an American firm of creditors who have recovered a judgment against Mr. Beaty for a large amount. The defendant moved against this writ before the learned Judge of the County Court, of the County of York, on the ground that he had assets much more than sufficient to pay all his liabilities, and that his present embarrassment was only temporary. After argument, an order was made setting aside the writ, from which decision the plaintiffs appealed. This appeal was argued on Tuesday before His Lordship Chief Justice Moss, who after hearing all parties dismissed the appeal, confirming the decision of the Court below.

WINNIPEG, July 11.—Hon. A. Morris declines the nomination for Selkirk.

The Mennonites sowed eighteen thousand acres this year.

The immigration of Canadians from Iowa is setting in.

QUEBEC, July 20.—The legislature was prorogued to-day until the 27th of August.

OTTAWA, July 20.—The appointment of E. B. Chandler as lieutenant-governor of New Brunswick is gazetted.

English Mail.

[Per Steamship City of Panama.]

Mr. John Webster, a justice of the peace, and twice mayor of Sheffield, has died suddenly from an affection of the heart, accelerated by the excessive heat. Mr. Webster was district coroner for many years.

Lord Chief Justice Coleridge and Mr. Justice Lopes have rejected the long existent claim of the Brighton Railway Company to exact from a passenger without a ticket the full fare from the station whence the train orignally started.

There are one or two indications, says the *Echo*, of the possibility of an invasion of cholera this year, which it is as well to remark without unduly alarming ourselves. Port Sanitary Officers would especially do well to be vigilant during the ensuing three months,

Chas. Marvin, aboue twenty-five years of age, a copying clerk in the Foreign Office and Russian translator on the London *Globe*, has been brought up at Bow street charged with having committed a breach of trust in copying and appropriating and wilfully stealing a secret document between Russia and England. The defendant had been employed to copy the agreement between the Russian and British Governments which had appeared in the *Globe*, and from the surrounding circumstances these proceedings were taken. The enquiry was adjourned, bail being taken. The defence is that there is no law which makes the defendant liable to punishment even if he did communicate the despatch to the *Globe*.

Mr. Francis Palgrave in a letter to the *Times* strongly denounces the severance of Batoum from Turkey. He says that he lived in the country for years, and knows that if the proposed spoliation be carried out there will result a general exodus of the population after an unvailing struggle against the overwhelming might of Russia. He predicts that, even as the former migration of the Circassians has left a wilderness in the midst of the Caucasus, so will the separation of Batoum from Turkey depopulate the neighbouring territory. This would be a very serious matter for Europe.

Three Bishops were consecrated on Monday (St. John's Day) in St. Paul Cathedral—The Rev. W. D. Maclagan, Bishop of Lichfield; Rev. Dr. Cramer Roberts, Bishop of Nassau; and the Rev Dr. Stanton, Bishop of North Queensland.

Dr. Forbes Winslow and Dr. Winn have reported to the Home Secretary that the Rev. Mr. Dodwell, acquitted of an attempt to murder the Master of the Rolls on the ground of insanity, is now of sound mind.

A correspondent of the *Times* explains how the ex-King of Hanover became blind. At a cricket match played between the Windsor and Eton clubs on the Windsor ground an Eton boy named Spong made a very successful innings, carried out his bat, and made a high score. Prince George, who was standing at the Pavilion, had in his hand a long beaded purse, at the end of which was attached a gold acorn. The purse he was swinging around, cheering Mr. Spong when the acorn struck him in the left eye. Assistance was promptly procured, but without avail, and the Prince lost completely the sight of the injured eye and finally that of the other also.

The Shah of Persia has been assailed in Paris with a shower of bills left unpaid at his previous visit. His reception in London will be even warmer, for the number and extent of the unpaid accounts among West-end tradesman caused such a scandal that the matter was brought up in parliament on various occasions, and our Foreign Office was also dunned severely. Several letters of remonstrance from important tradesmen were addressed to the Foreign Secretary, and by him forwarded to Teheran. Most of the debts were contracted by the members of the Shah's suit, but the credit was obtained by using the Shah's name. The Persian Monarch has been so pestered by the Paris duns that he has given orders for all bills to be paid on proof of indebtedness.

A STORM IN ENGLAND.

Great Sewers Burst and the Metropolitan Underground Railway Deluged.

(From the London Daily News.)

A few minutes before 1 o'clock peals of distant thunder dissipated all doubt whether the overcharged atmosphere indicated blight or storm. As soon as the sky became generally clouded the storm burst forth, and raged violently for at least an hour. The lightning was vivid in the extreme, and the peals of thunder which occurred in rapid succession seemed to shake the roofs of the houses over which they burst. The rain was simply tropical, and mingled as it was with hailstones, it poured down in continuous sheets, inundating in the course of half an hour both the gardens of the houses and public roadways.

The fury of the storm put a stop to all traffic. Not a soul was in the streets and few occupants of houses ventured to the window for fear of the continuous vivid flashes of lighining. The downpour lasted for nearly an hour, during which period a semi-darkness prevailed. The roadways were literally running streams for the time being, and after the storm had abated those who had put in for shelter resumed their journeys under anything but favorable circumstances; some of them were obliged to bare their feet and plod their way through the rushing waters.

The great sewers burst at King's Cross and in a few minutes the Metropolitan Railway line from that station was deluged with water to beyond the Farringdon street station, where even the platforms were flooded. Traffic on this part of the line was suspended for about half an hour, after which, though the water continued to flow along the line, it found an outlet on the low level line which dips under the older line between Farringdon street and King's Cross. The lower level was speedily covered to the depth of six feet with water.

A hundred men were promptly set to work to repair the broken sewer, and three steam fire engines of the Metropolitan Fire Brigade were brought to Farringdon street to pump the water out of the lower tunnel. Owing, however, to the fact that a railway line is by no means so well suited for the passage of these engines as a common road, no small amount of difficulty had to be encountered before these engines could be got to work. The driver of one, thinking to yet rapidly down to the scene of action, unluckly got the hind wheels entangled in some way with the metals, so that the rear platform of the engine was pulled off, and the engine had to be half mounted on a small truck. With all the care which was taken of the other two engines, it was 7 o'clock before they could be got to work, and by that time the water was eight feet in depth in the lower tunnel.

"A soft answer turneth away wrath," but you can't fool a tramp that way.—*N. Y. Graphic.*

REMOVED,

A. GILMORE wishes to inform his friends and the public that he has removed to the Commission Store on Johnson street, where he will continue to sell at invoice prices.

Garments made to order at cost, as he is closing out that branch of his business

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Cardigan Jackets, Orange, Clouded, White and Red Shirts and Drawers, Double-Toed Shaker Socks all colors, Baltic and Fine White Shirts, Buck Gauntlets, asst. Braces, Men's asst. Black Hats, Blue, Brown and White Overalls and Jumpers.

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Coats, Pants, Suits, Vests, Overcoats, Beaver Suits, etc., etc., etc.

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AT 11 O'CLOCK, A. M.

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ALSO—On the premises and adjoining.

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STOCKS AND MINES.

NOTICE.

PROSERPINE GOLD & SILVER MINING CO., LIMITED

ALL PERSONS HOLDING RECORDED BILLS Bills of Sale for feet in this Company's claims will, on presenting and surrendering the same to the Secretary of the Company, receive Certificates of Shares in lieu thereof.

By order. CHARLES WILSON, Secty.
Barkerville, July 22, 1878. jy23dw1m

BRITISH COLUMBIA MILLING & MINING CO., LIMITED.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AN EXTRAordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of the British Columbia Milling and Mining Company (Limited) will be held at the Rooms of the British Columbia Mining Stock Board, on

FRIDAY, THE 23D DAY OF AUGUST, A. D. 1878,

at ONE o'clock p. m., to take into consideration the following matters, viz:—

(1.) The Report of the Board of Directors and the Financial Statement of the Secretary.

(2.) The question of co-operation with other companies in prospecting.

(3.) An Amendment of Section 88 of the Articles of Association, with a view to reduce the rate at which the Company's Stock may be sold.

(4.) The question of carrying on the works of the Company; and such other matters and things as may then and there be submitted.

Dated at Victoria, the Fifteenth July, 1878.
By order of the Board of Directors,
G. A. SARGISON, Secretary.

N. B.—Distant Shareholders will please transmit their proxies at an early day to the Secretary.
jy16dw

BRITISH COLUMBIA MILLING AND MINING CO., LIMITED.

NOTICE.

ASSESSMENT No. 3 OF TEN CENTS PER SHARE has this day been levied, and will be payable at the Company's office in Victoria, on Saturday, 10th August next, and will be delinquent on that day.

By order of the Directors.
G. A. SARGISON, Secretary.
Victoria, 15th July, 1878. jy17dw

PROSERPINE GOLD & SILVER MINING COMPANY.

A GENERAL MEETING OF THIS COMPANY will be held at Barkerville on Monday, July the 29th, at 7:30 p.m., for the Election of Trustees and the transaction of important business.

By order of the Trustees.
CHARLES WILSON, Secretary.
Barkerville, June 29, 1878. jy7dw

MONTGOMERY QUARTZ CO.,
OF CHISHOLM CREEK.

THE SEVENTH ASSESSMENT OF TEN CENTS per foot, levied June 19th, is now due and payable to the Secretary at Stanley.

ANDREW FLETCHER, Secty.
Stanley, June 22nd, 1878. jy7dw

NOTICE.

THE OFFICE OF THE COOPER GOLD & SILver Mining Company (Limited) was this day removed to Langley street, opposite the Angel Hotel.

C. MORTON, Secretary.
Victoria, June 29th, 1878. je30dw1m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN

THAT AT THE ENSUING SESSION OF THE Provincial Legislature the Cariboo Quartz Mining Company, Limited will apply for an Act to enable the Company to separate their location on the Steadman ledge from the other property of the Company so as to form another company in respect of the Steadman location. Such other company to be called the Steadman Company. The shares in the Steadman Company to be offered to the shareholders in the Cariboo Quartz Mining Company in proportion to their shares in that company, and if declined to be disposed of by the Steadman Company for the benefit of the Company.

Barkerville, 18th May, 1878. my23dw

PERSEVERANCE QUARTZ MINING CO.,
(LIMITED.)
LOCATION OF WORKS,
Pomeroy Lode, Conklin Gulch.

ASSESSMENT NO. 2.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT AT A MEETing of the Trustees of the said Company, held on the 5th of June, 1878, an Assessment of One Cent per Share was levied upon the Capital Stock of said Company, payable on the 18th July, 1878, to Charles Wilson, at the Company's office, Barkerville, B. C. Any Stock upon which said Assessment shall remain unpaid on the 18th July, 1878, shall be deemed delinquent and will be duly advertised for sale at public auction; and, unless payment shall be made before, will be sold on the 3rd day of August, 1878, to pay the delinquent assessment, together with costs of advertising and expenses of sale.

CHARLES WILSON,
Secretary Perseverance Quartz Mining Co. (Limited)
je23dw Barkerville, B. C.

CHAS. MORTON,
COMMISSION STOCK BROKER
MEMBER B. C. MINING STOCK BOARD,

Has removed his office to Langley Street, opposite Angel Hotel. de18dw

PROSERPINE GOLD & SILVER MINING CO.
(LIMITED)

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT PRIOR TO the Incorporation of the Company certain owners of interests, or fractional parts of an interest, became indebted to the Company for Assessments on their respective interests, or fractional parts of an interest.

The following persons are so indebted to the Company:—

Peter Brown	$46 87
George Byrnes	28 12
Joe. Heywood	36 00
W. H. G. Thompson	49 00
H. E. Croasdaile	6 25
F. S. Barnard	18 50

Now, unless this liability be discharged within Thirty (30) days from the date of this advertisement, proceedings will be taken for the recovery of the amount, under the Act governing the Company before Incorporation.

The attention of persons holding unrecorded Bills of Sale of interests, or fractions of an interest, in the Company is respectfully directed to Clause 7, Gold Mining Amendment Act, A. D. 1872.

By order of the Trustees.
jy12 CHARLES WILSON, Secty.

ENTERPRISE GOLD & SILVER MINING CO.
(LIMITED)

A SPECIAL GENERAL MEETING OF THE Shareholders of the Enterprise Gold and Silver Mining Company (Limited) will be held at the rooms of the B. Col. Stock Board, on Tuesday the 20th August, at 2 o'clock p. m.

The following business will come up for discussion:
First—Consideration of assistance to the Cariboo Quartz Co. in sinking shaft on the Bonanza lode.
Second—The issuing of certificates to Promoters; also, the continuation of corporate existence of the Enterprise Company under the Companies Act of 1878.

jy11 D. GUTMANN, Secretary.

BRITISH COLUMBIA MILLING & MINING COMPANY
(LIMITED.)

NOTICE.

THE SECOND ASSESSMENT OF TEN CENTS per share, levied 20th June, 1878, and payable at the Company's office in Victoria, or to Charles Wilson, Agent at Barkerville, will be delinquent on Tuesday, 9th July next. By order.

G. A. SARGISON, Secty.
Victoria, 20th June, 1878. je20

COALS, FLOUR, FRESH BEEF AND MUTTON, VEGETABLES, FIREWOOD, LUMBER, WATER, FRESH BUTTER, MILK, EGGS AND FOWLS.

ROYAL NAVAL YARD, ESQUIMALT, B.C.
16th July, 1878.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED ON BEHALF of the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, **UNTIL NOON OF TUESDAY THE 30TH JULY INSTANT,** for supplying such quantities of **COALS, FLOUR, FRESH BEEF AND MUTTON, VEGETABLES, FIREWOOD, LUMBER AND WATER,** as may be required for Navy purposes; likewise **FRESH BUTTER, MILK, EGGS AND FOWLS** for the Naval Hospital, between the 1st October, 1878, and the 30th September, 1879.

Their Lordships do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any Tender, and they reserve to themselves the power of accepting any part of a Tender.

Forms of Tender containing all particulars may be obtained at this office on written or personal application.

JAMES H. INNES,
Naval and Victualling Storekeeper.

NOTE.—The names of the parties who have consented to act as Securities in the event of any Tender being accepted must be stated upon the respective Tenders. jy16

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Will leave the H. B. Co.,s wharf for Fort Wrangel and Way Ports,

ON OR ABOUT SATURDAY, 27TH INST.

The Purser must be furnished with an invoice of all goods for Cassiar, otherwise they will be detained at Wrangel.

For particulars as to Freight and Passage apply on board. jy23

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CALIFORNIA,

CHARLES THORN, Master,

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J. P. GOODHUE, Agent.
Office at P. McQuade & Sons. jy23

FOR OLYMPIA & WAY PORTS

THE SPLENDID STEAMER

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CAPTAIN STOTHARD,

Will sail for the above Ports on

SATURDAY, JULY 20TH, AT 5 O'CLOCK A.M.

CARRYING FREIGHT AND PASSENGERS.

For Freight or Passage apply on board at Engelhardt & Co.'s wharf. jy19

BARK RIVER CLYDE, FROM LIVERPOOL.

NEITHER CAPT. McKINNEY NOR THE undersigned will be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew of the above vessel.

HENRY RHODES & CO.
Victoria, July 15th, 1878. jy16

NOTICE--BARK RIVER CLYDE.

THE BARK RIVER CLYDE, CAPTAIN McKinney, from Liverpool, will commence to discharge freight at the wharf of the undersigned at 8 o'clock on Tuesday morning the 16th inst.

Consignees are requested to call at the office of the agents, pay freight and receive orders for their goods.

All goods left on the wharf after 5 o'clock p. m. of each day will be stored at the risk and expense of the owners.

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TO SHIPOWNERS AND CAPTAINS.

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Victoria, 21st June, 1878. je22tf

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THIS TAX IS NOW OVERDUE FOR THE CURrent Year, and must be paid forthwith at the office of W. K. BULL, by all citizens not assessed for Real Estate, or Summonses will be issued.

July 15th, 1878. jy16tf

British Columbia Investment and Loan Society.

OFFICE: BASTION STREET,
17th July, 1878.

SHAREHOLDERS ARE REQUESTED TO TAKE NOTICE THAT THE INTEREST FOR THE SIX MONTHS ENDED 30TH JUNE IS PAYABLE DAILY, BETWEEN THE HOURS OF 11 A. M. AND 1 P. M.

C. W. R. THOMSON,
jy18 1w Secty-Treas.

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GENERAL ABSTRACT

Showing the average amount of Liabilities and Assets of the BANK OF BRITISH COLUMBIA within the Province of British Columbia and its Dependencies, taken from the several weekly statements for the Quarter ending 29th June, 1878.

LIABILITIES.

Notes in circulation		$217,082 00
Balances due to other Banks and Branches		8,999 35
Deposits not bearing Interest	$770,213 79	
Deposits bearing Interest	111,905 66	
		882,119 45
Total Amount of Liabilities		$1,108,200 80

ASSETS.

Legal Tender Coin in Gold and Silver		$243,611 41
Gold Bullion		11,613 24
Landed and other Property		27,851 33
Balances due from other Banks and Branches situate within the Province	$ 6,546 49	
Balances due from other Banks and Branches situate without the Province	227,886 67	
		234,433 16
All debts due to the Bank within the Province, including Notes, Bills of Exchange, and all Stock and Funded Debts of every description excepting Notes, Bills and Balances due from other Banks & Branches	642,687 99	
Do. without the Province	247,052 03	
		889,740 02
Total Amount of Assets		$1,407,249 16

Amount of Capital Stock paid up at close of the Quarter ending 29th June, 1878 ....$1,730,000
Rate of last dividend declared to the Shareholders ....7 per cent. per annum.
Amount of last dividend declared 60,550
Amount of reserved profit at the time of declaring such dividend 198,230

(Signed) WM. C. WARD, Manager.
(Signed) ISAAC B. FISHER, Act'g Accountant.

VICTORIA, B. C., 15th July, 1878.

I, WILLIAM CURTIS WARD, do hereby declare that to the best of my knowledge and belief the foregoing statement is a true and faithful account of the average amount of the Liabilities and Assets within the Province of this Bank during the period specified and that the same was made up from the Weekly Statements thereof kept in pursuance of the provisions of "The Banking Act, 1864." WM. C. WARD.

Declared before me at Victoria, B. C., this 15th day of July, 1878.
jy16 R. P. RITHET, J. P.

GENERAL ABSTRACT

SHOWING the average amount of LIABILITIES and ASSETS of the BANK OF BRITISH NORTH AMERICA, within the Province of British Columbia, taken from the usual weekly statements, for the Quarter ending 30th June, 1878.

LIABILITIES.

Notes in Circulation not bearing interest	$107,075 00
Balances due to other Banks and Branches	17,201 05
Deposits ON CALL not bearing interest	93,221 42
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Total amount of Liabilities	$561,955 65

ASSETS.

Legal Tender Coin in Gold and Silver	$ 82,965 41
Gold Bullion	7,113 73
Notes and Cheques of other Banks	3,221 90
Landed and other Property	18,000 00
Balances due from other Banks & Branches	251,232 33
Amount of all other debts due to the Bank	225,354 75
Total Amount of Assets	$587,888 12

Amount of Capital Stock paid up at the close of the Quarter ending 30th June, 1878 .....$5,000,000
Rate of last Dividend declared to Shareholders ....5 per cent per annum.
Amount of last Dividend declared for half year ....$125,000.
Amount of Reserved Profits at the time of declaring said Dividend $1,058,865

VICTORIA, B. C., 12th July, 1878.

(Signed) JAMES CRAN, Sub. Manager.
(Signed) E. STANGER, Accountant.

I, JAMES CRAN, do hereby declare that to the best of my knowledge and belief the foregoing Abstract is a true and faithful account of the average amount of the Liabilities and Assets of the above Bank within the Province during the period specified, and that the same was made up from the weekly statements thereof, kept in pursuance of the provisions of the Banking Act, 1864. (Signed) JAMES CRAN.

Declared before me at Victoria, B. C., this 12th day of July, 1878.
jy13 (Signed) A. J. LANGLEY, J. P.

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POST OFFICE NOTICE.

ARRIVAL AND CLOSING OF MAILS AT VICTORIA.

SUMMER ARRANGEMENTS FROM 1ST APRIL TO 30TH SEPTEMBER, 1878.

MAILS.	ARRIVE.	CLOSE.
Canada, Great Britain, Europe and U. S., via San Francisco.	About the 3d, 13th and 23d of each month.	On the 10th, 20th and 30th of each month at 10 A. M.
Do. via Tacoma	Monday and Thursday at 3 P. M.	Monday and Thursday at 6 P.M.
Australia, New Zealand, Sandwich Islands and Fiji Islands.	Irregular dates of arrival..	In time to connect with mail steamer leaving San Francisco every 4th Saturday from April 25th.
China and Japan	Irregular dates of arrival..	In time to connect with mail steamer leaving San Francisco on 1st of each month.
Mexico, Central America, and South Pacific coast	Irregular dates of arrival..	On the 10th, 20th and 30th of each month at 10 A.M.
New Westminster and Burrard Inlet.	Wednesday and Saturday at 3 P.M.	Monday and Thursday at 6 P. M.
Barkerville, and Intermediate offices.	Saturday at 3 P.M.	Thursday at 6 P. M.
Nanaimo and Intermediate offices.	Thursday at 5 P.M.	Monday at 6 P. M.
Comox and Intermediate offices.	Every alternate Friday at 5 P.M.	Every alternate Monday at 6 P.M.
Esquimalt	Daily at 10 A.M. and 2 P.M.	Daily at 11.30 A.M. and 4.30 P.M.
Metchosin	Monday at 1 P.M.	Tuesday at 12 noon.
Saanich	Wednesday at 9 A.M.	Wednesday at 12 noon.
Sooke	Monday at 3 P.M.	Tuesday at 9 A.M.

Letters for Registration must be posted half an hour before closing of each mail.

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Payable at Money Order Offices throughout the Dominion, Great Britain and Ireland, Newfoundland and the United States, and at the offices at Barkerville, Clinton, Nanaimo, New Westminster and Yale, in this Province, can be obtained at this office.

OFFICE HOURS—From 9 A.M. to 6 P.M.
FOR MONEY ORDERS—From 9 A.M. to 4 P.M.; on Saturdays from 9 A.M. to 12 noon.

R. WALLACE, POST OFFICE INSPECTOR.
POST OFFICE, VICTORIA, 1st April, 1876. my5

NEW GOODS! NEW GOODS!

HENRY SHORT,
GUN AND RIFLE MAKER
FORT STREET, OPPOSITE SCOTCH HOUSE,

Has Received from London direct, a Large Assortment of

DOUBLE AND SINGLE BARRELED GUNS
CENTRAL FIRE-BREECH LOADERS,
FISHING TACKLE IN GREAT VARIETY.

Pocket and Sporting Cutlery, Powder Flasks, Shot Pouches, Game Bags, Cartridge Belts, Apparatus for Filling Cartridges for Breech-Loaders, and a Full Assortment of Gun Tackle.

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HARDWARE, CROCKERY, MEN'S FURNISHING GOODS, FURNITURE, GLASSWARE, PLATEDWARE, JEWELRY, CLOCKS, ETC., ETC., ETC.

Which they will sell CHEAP for CASH.
jy3 DAVIES BROS.

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FROM AND AFTER THIS DATE I WILL ONLY accept COIN FOR RENT, as well as for other Payments to be made to me.
de30 LD. LOWENBERG.

ROYAL MAIL STAGE
FOR SAANICH DISTICT.
WILL LEAVE VICTORIA
EVERY WEDNESDAY AND SATURDAY AT 12 M.

Passengers and Parcels called for at Cameron & Ross, Government street; John Boyd's, Johnson street; and Joseph Gosnell's, Douglas street.
je30 H. SIMPSON, Proprietor.

NOTICE.

NEW WESTMINSTER DISTRICT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, IN ACCORDANCE with the provisions of the "Land Act, 1875," that Lot 448, Group I, New Westminster District, has been surveyed and the map thereof deposited in the office of E. Dickinson, Esq., Commissioner, New Westminster.

F. GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.
Lands and Works Dept.,
Victoria, 22nd June, 1878. je22dw

MEDICAL.

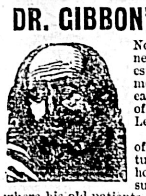
MR. HELMCKEN

MAY BE CONSULTED AT HIS OFFICE, VICtoria, between the hours of 9 and 12 in the morning, and 5 in the evening. mh4

TO THE UNFORTUNATE.

NEW REMEDIES! NEW REMEDIES!

DR. GIBBON'S DISPENSARY,



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